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1902.

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Mayor and Aldermen
For 1902.

Mayor,

HON. CHARLES A. BABBITT,

431 MAIN STREET.

Aldermen.

WARD ONE.

GEORGE H. JOHNSON, 23 Winthrop st.

WARD TWO.

JOHN LOVELL JOHNSON, 251 Main st.

WARD THREE.

GEORGE S. COGSWELL, 52 Temple st.

WARD FOUR.

AUGUSTUS WELLINGTON, 405 Blossom st.

WARD FIVE.

HENRY O. SAWYER, 73 Highland ave.

WARD SIX.

CHARLES B. SMITH, 31 Atlantic ave.

President: JOHN LOVELL JOHNSON.

City Clerk.

WALTER A. DAVIS, 71 View st.

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Councilmen.

President: JOHN LEIPER.

WARD ONE.

HENRY A. GREENWOOD,	53 South st.
WILLIAM T. HERLIHY,	115 Milk st.
EDWARD P. O'CONNOR,	63 Newton st.

WARD TWO.

LOUIS N. M. DESCHENES,	50 Daniels st.
CHARLES T. MCMURRAY,	Off Depot st.
ROBERT F. WILSON,	27 Cleghorn st.

WARD THREE.

CHARLES W. BALDWIN,	8 Mechanic st.
FREDERIC C. NICHOLS,	46 Arlington st.
MATTHEW TAIT,	35 Sprague st.

WARD FOUR.

WILLIAM H. BENNETT,	39 Hartwell st.
GARDNER K. HUDSON,	20 Hartwell st.
JOHN LEIPER,	Longwood ave.

WARD FIVE.

JOSEPH Q. ABBOTT,	104 Highland ave.
CHARLES W. BURNELL,	96 Snow st.
ALBERT E. CULLEY,	67 Congress st.

WARD SIX.

JAMES BARR,	31 Lincoln st.
NAPOLEON J. CADORETTE,	234 Water st.
GEORGE W. LORD,	22 Hancock st.

FRED A. TOLMAN, *Clerk*,
28 Pleasant st.

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Joint Standing Committees

FOR 1902.

Finance: Mayor Babbitt, Alderman Smith, President Leiper, Councilmen Nichols and Burnell.

Accounts: Alderman J. Lovell Johnson, Councilmen Baldwin and Abbott.

Printing: Mayor Babbitt, President Leiper, Councilman McMurray.

Claims: Aldermen Smith and J. Lovell Johnson, Councilmen Baldwin, Hudson and Abbott.

Highways: Aldermen George H. Johnson, Cogswell and Wellington, Councilmen O'Connor, Wilson, Tait, Bennett, Culley and Barr.

Water: Aldermen J. Lovell Johnson and Cogswell, Councilmen McMurray, Baldwin and Tait.

Buildings: Alderman Wellington, Councilmen Herlihy and Wilson.

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Fire Department: Aldermen Cogswell and Sawyer, Councilmen O'Connor, DesChenes and Nichols.

Military: Alderman George H. Johnson, Councilmen Hudson and Abbott.

Fuel and Lighting Streets: Alderman Smith, Councilmen Greenwood and Cadorette.

City Property: Aldermen Wellington and Sawyer, Councilmen DesChenes, Burnell and Lord.

Salaries: Aldermen Sawyer, George H. Johnson, Councilmen McMurray, Wilson and Tait.

Education: Aldermen Smith and George H. Johnson, Councilmen Bennett, Hudson and Barr.

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Standing Committees,

Board of Aldermen.

Police: Aldermen J. Lovell Johnson and Wellington.

Licenses: Mayor Babbitt, Aldermen Cogswell and Smith.

Enrollment: Aldermen George H. Johnson and Sawyer.

Election Returns: Aldermen Sawyer and J. Lovell Johnson.

Bills in Second Reading: Aldermen Cogswell and Wellington.

Standing Committees,

Common Council.

Enrollment: Councilmen Greenwood, Herlihy and Culley.

Bills in Second Reading: Councilmen Herlihy, Culley and Lord.

Elections: Councilmen Bennett, Cadorette and Burnell.

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Street Railway Franchise Committee.

Mayor Babbitt, Aldermen J. Lovell Johnson and Cogswell.

Sub-Committees of Highways.

New Roads and Streets: Alderman Cogswell, Councilmen Culley and Bennett.

General Repairs: Alderman George H. Johnson, Councilmen Barr and Wilson.

Bridges, Culverts and Stone Masonry: Alderman Wellington, Councilmen O'Connor and Tait.

Sidewalks, Sewers and Drains: Alderman George H. Johnson, Councilmen Bennett and Barr.

Watering Streets: Alderman Wellington, Councilmen Wilson and Tait.

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Joint Special Committees.

Upon the recommendation in the Mayor's Inaugural with reference to the refunding of the City's Debt: Aldermen Smith and Sawyer, Councilmen DesChenes, Nichols and Bennett.

Committee on the codification and revision of the City Ordinances: Mayor Babbitt and City Solicitor Hall.

Committee on revision of City Charter: Mayor Babbitt, President Leiper, Alderman Sawyer, Councilman Hudson, Robert N. Wallis, Andrew Connery, John G. Faxon.

Committee on Old Home Week: Mayor Charles A. Babbitt, Alderman Smith, Councilmen Louis N. M. DesChenes and Frederic C. Nichols; Charles Fosdick, Henry A. Goodrich, Orin M. Lowe, George R. Wallace, Henry A. Willis, Wesley W. Sargent, John F. McGrath.

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SPECIAL COMMITTEE.

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MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL

SHOWING

APPOINTMENTS ON COMMITTEES.

The Mayor:—Finance, Printing, Licenses, Charter Revision, Revision City Ordinances, and Street Railway Franchise.

Alderman Cogswell:—Highways, Water, Fire Department, Licenses, Bills in Second Reading, Street Railway Franchise.

Alderman George H. Johnson:—Highways, Military, Salaries, Education, and Enrollment.

Alderman J. Lovell Johnson:—Accounts, Claims, Water, Police, Election Returns, Street Railway Franchise.

Alderman Sawyer:—Fire Department, City Property, Salaries, Charter Revision, Refunding City Debt, Enrollment, Election Returns.

Alderman Smith:—Finance, Claims, Fuel and Lighting Streets, Education, Refunding City Debt, Licenses.

Alderman Wellington:—Highways, Buildings, City Property, Bills in Second Reading. (Police.)

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President of Common Council:—Finance, Printing, Charter Revision.

Councilman Abbott:—Accounts, Claims, Military.

Councilman Baldwin:—Accounts, Claims, Water.

Councilman Barr:—Highways, Education.

Councilman Bennett:—Highways, Education, Refunding City Debt, Elections.

Councilman Burnell:—Finance, City Property, Elections.

Councilman Cadorette:—Fuel and Lighting Streets, Elections.

Councilman Culley:—Highways, Enrollment, Bills in Second Reading.

Councilman DesChenes:—Fire Department, City Property, Refunding City Debt.

Councilman Greenwood:—Fuel and Lighting Streets, Enrollment.

Councilman Herlihy:—Buildings, Enrollment, Bills in Second Reading.

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Councilman Hudson :—Claims, Military, Education, Charter Revision.

Councilman Lord :—City Property, Bills in Second Reading.

Councilman McMurray :—Printing, Water, Salaries.

Councilman Nichols :—Finance, Fire Department, Refunding City Debt.

Councilman O'Connor :—Highways, Fire Department.

Councilman Tait :—Highways, Salaries.

Councilman Wilson :—Highways, Buildings, Salaries.

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REGULAR MEETINGS OF CITY COUNCIL,

at 7.30 P. M.

Tuesday, January 7 and 21.

Tuesday, February 4 and 18.

Tuesday, March 4 and 18.

Tuesday, April 1 and 15.

Tuesday, May 6 and 20.

Tuesday, June 3 and 17.

Tuesday, July 1 and 15.

Tuesday, September 2 and 16.

Tuesday, October 7 and 21.

Tuesday, November 11 and 25.

Tuesday, December 9 and 23.

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Treasurer, . . GEORGE E. CLIFFORD.
Collector of Taxes, . . GEORGE E. CLIFFORD.
Deputy Collector of Taxes, . G. FRED P. DAY.
City Clerk, . . . WALTER A. DAVIS.
Auditor of Accounts, . . HENRY JACKSON.
Superintendent of Streets, . MICHAEL J. HOGAN.
City Engineer, . . DAVID A. HARTWELL.
City Solicitor, . WALTER PERLEY HALL.
City Physician, . FRANCIS M. MCMURRAY.
Supt. of Water Works, THOMAS C. LOVELL.
Water Registrar, . . A. W. F. BROWN.
Chief of Police, . . DAVID W. TINSLEY.
Supt. of Fire Alarm Telegraph, JOHN W. RAND.
Inspector of Milk, . JOHN F. BRESNAHAN.
Inspector of Petroleum,
Sealer of Weights and Measures, HORACE M. FLYNN.
Inspector of Vinegar, . JOHN F. BRESNAHAN.
Inspector of Buildings, . . JOHN H. KIRBY.
Inspector of Wires, . . JOHN W. RAND.
Supt. of Public Buildings, . JOHN H. KIRBY.
Supt. of Almshouse, . GEORGE P. HOLTON.
Matron at Almshouse, MRS. GEORGE P. HOLTON.
Chief Engineer of Fire Dept.,
TIMOTHY F. MURNANE.
Inspector of Animals, CHARLES A. KEENE, D. V. S.
Inspector of Meats and Provisions,
HENRY D. CLARKE, D. V. S.
Clerk of Committees, . FRED A. TOLMAN.

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Edward W. Ackley, *Chairman*, term exp. 1904.
Charles K. Sawyer, term exp. 1905.
Walter A. Atwood, *Clerk*, term exp. 1903.

Office, Rooms 8 and 9 City Hall Building.

ASSISTANT ASSESSORS, 1902.

Ward 1. Peter F. Connelly.
Ward 2. Horace M. Flynn.
Ward 3. Sullivan W. Huntley.
Ward 4. Hiland C. Hitchcock.
Ward 5. Charles H. Glazier.
Ward 6. John P. Gallagher.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Charles A. Babbitt, *Mayor, ex officio.*
John Leiper, *ex officio.*
James M. Blanchard, . . term exp. 1904.
Joseph C. Flynn, . . . term exp. 1905.
Frank S. Stone, ... term exp. 1903.

Clerk of Board, Robert M. Jones.

Office, Room 15 City Hall Building.

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

James B. Austin, . . . term exp. 1903.
Albert H. Burgess, *Chairman*, term exp. 1905.
Samuel D. Sheldon, . . . term exp. 1904.

Supt. of Water Works and Clerk of Board,
Thomas C. Lovell.

Office, Water Works Building, 104 River Street.

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BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS.

Joel Joel, *Chairman*, . . term exp. 1904.
Thomas A. Monahan, . . term exp. 1905.
Warren B. Wheeler, . . term exp. 1903.
David A. Hartwell, *Clerk and Engineer.*
Michael J. Hogan, *Supt.*

BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS.

Frederick A. Currier, 35 Mt. Vernon Street.
Chairman and Sec'y, term exp. June 1, 1905.
Jabez F. Fisher, 94 1-2 Myrtle Ave.,
term exp. June 1, 1903.
James J. Ryan, Jr., 83 Princeton Rd., W. F.,
term exp. 1907.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Eustace L. Fiske, M. D., *Chairman*, term exp. 1903.
Henry M. Francis, . . . term exp. 1904.
George W. Holman, . . . term exp. 1905.
Agent, Frederick R. Houghton.
Inspector of Plumbing, John F. Bresnahan.
Inspector of Milk and Vinegar, John F. Bresnahan.
Inspector of Meats and Provisions,
Henry D. Clarke, D. V. S.
Office, Room 7, City Hall Building.

BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF PLUMBERS.

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Chairman of Board of Health, *Chairman.*
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John F. Bresnahan, Inspector of Plumbing, *Clerk.*

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Charles A. Keene, V. M. S.

BOARD OF FIRE ENGINEERS.

Chief, Timothy F. Murnane.
1*st Asst.*, J. S. Thompson,
2*nd Asst.*, P. W. Coleman,
3*rd Asst.*, H. H. Wheelock.

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC BURIAL GROUNDS.

Joel Joel, ... term exp. 1904.
Ira G. Wilkins, *Clerk*, . . term exp. 1905.
Henry O. Putnam, . . . term exp. 1903.
Office, Room 15 City Hall Building.
Supt. Public Burial Grounds, Willard A. Lowe.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINERS.

John J. Sheehan, Walter A. Davis,
Frederick Fosdick, John E. Dwyer.

BOARD OF REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

Frank A. Stratton, . . term exp. May, 1904.
David B. Dole, . . . term exp. May, 1905.
Leander Sprague, *Chairman*, term exp. May, 1903.
Walter A. Davis, *ex officio*, *Clerk*.

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CITY CLERK.

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Emilie B. Hall.
Office, 229 Main Street.

OVERSEERS OF POOR.

Minnie L. McGrail.

TAX COLLECTOR.

Fanny Gilmore Delahanty.

WATER REGISTRAR.

M. Alice Foster.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Theresa A. Shea.

ASSESSORS.

Nettie M. Brooks.

STREET COMMISSIONERS.

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ASSISTANT TO JANITOR.

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CITY AUDITOR, 9 A. M. to 12 M. and 2 to 5 P. M.

TAX COLLECTOR, 9 A. M. to 12 M., 2 to 5 P. M. During September and October, 8 A. M. to 12.30 P. M., 2 to 8 P. M.

ASSESSORS, 8 A. M. to 12 M. and 1 to 5 P. M.

CITY ENGINEER, 8 A. M. to 12 M. and 1 to 5 P. M.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR, 2 to 5 P. M.

SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS, no regular hours.

WATER REGISTRAR, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.; Tuesdays, 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS, 4 to 5 P. M., School-days. Office, 229 Main Street.

BOARD OF HEALTH, 8 A. M. to 12 M. and 1 to 5 P. M.

SUPERINTENDENT PUBLIC BUILDINGS, 8 to 10 A. M., and 3 to 5 P. M.

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School Committee. First Monday in each month, except July, August and September, at 7.30 P. M.

Trustees of Public Library. Second Monday in each month at 4.30 P. M.

Overseers of the Poor. Sixth day of each month, except when it falls on Sunday.

Board of Fire Engineers. Fifth day of each month, at 7.30 P. M., except when it falls on Sunday.

Water Commissioners. Every Monday at 7.30 P. M.

Board of Health. First and Third Mondays of each month at 5 P. M.

Park Commissioners. At call of chairman.

Street Commissioners. Every Monday at 7.30 P. M.
Various committees of the City Council at call of the chairman.

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POLICE DEPARTMENT

OF THE CITY OF FITCHBURG, MASS.

1902.

DAVID W. TINSLEY, *Chief.*

WILLIAM S. BULLOCK, *Captain.*

LIEUTENANTS.

John Flood, Hugh O. Irving.

SERGEANTS.

Jesse F. Coombs, James F. Roy.

PATROLMEN.

1 Benjamin A. Young,
2 Calvin C. Damon,
3 Arthur M. Sanderson,
4 Charles S. Brown,
5 Charles F. Donovan,
6 Herbert L. Flint,
7 John B. Gooch,
8 Samuel J. Thompson,
9 Bernard H. Flaherty,
10 Henry L. Kendall,
11 Carlos L. Fallon,
12 Fred H. Estabrook,
13 George J. Bigelow,
14 Winfred H. Whiting,
15 William E. Hackett,
16 Nathan C. Upham,
17 William E. Hartnett,
18 Alphonse L. Hebert,
19 Wm. H. H. Shattuck,
20 Asahel Wheeler,
21 John H. Harrer,
22 Herbert J. Michaels,
23 Albert R. Fellows,
24 Daniel F. Moran,
25 Peter F. Murphy.
26 David J. Whittemore.

JANITOR.

Joseph Croto.

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Charles F. Farmer, 10 Day st.
Henry E. Gardner, 728 Water st.
Thomas J. Godley, 96 Depot st.
Leoda Guenette, 181 Fairmount st.
Charles E. Oliver, 104 Snow st.
Adam L. Paton, 36 Cane st.

Special Dog Constable.

George F. Meacham.

Special Policemen Without Pay.

Irwin O. Bascom,
Henry L. C. Behrens,
Harry T. Buttrick,
Joseph Croto,
Charles F. Gillis,
Moses Gokey,
George H. Goodspeed,
James Gorman,
John G. Grubb,
William B. Hayward,
Augustus Judd,
Charles W. Kendall,
Benjamin M. Kuhn,
Phineas A. Nourse,
Lyman Raymond,
John A. Worster,
William S. Winter.

Special Policeman Without Pay at Coggshall Park.

George St. John.

Special Policeman Without Pay for Putnam Machine Co.

A. F. Whitney.

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SPECIAL POLICE AT COUNTY JAIL WITHOUT PAY.

Charles M. Kidder, Joseph L. Kindred,
Amos J. Hall, Warren F. Chapin,
Henry D. Barker.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT ARMORY.

John T. Burke.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT CUMINGS' THEATRE.

Albert A. Brigham.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT UNION COAL COMPANY'S ICE HOUSES.

George F. Russell.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT DANIELS PARK.

Edward F. LeClair.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT ST. JOSEPH'S CONVENT AND GROUNDS.

Victor Jarvis.

SPECIAL POLICEMEN WITHOUT PAY AT BURBANK HOSPITAL.

Nils Anderson, Alfred A. Dow.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY FOR J. CUSHING & Co.

Henry Burgess.

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SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT B. M. PITTS' MILL.

Michael Fenton.

SPECIAL POLICE AT FITCHBURG STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Martin Sanderson.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT SAFETY FUND BANK.

Herbert A. Divoll.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT DUMP OFF JACKSON AVENUE.

Noah Jackson.

SPECIAL POLICEMAN FOR AMERICAN WOOLEN CO.

James S. Devlin.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT YARDS OF UNION PORK CO.

Russell K. Proctor.

SPECIAL POLICE WITHOUT PAY AT CLARENDON STREET SCHOOL HOUSE.

Cleophas Forest.

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Special Police Without Pay at Y. M. C. A.

George Bryce.

Special Policemen Without Pay in the Service of the Fitchburg and Leominster Street Railway Company.

Grant W. Corwin,
George E. Willis,
Peter W. Blanchard,
G. L. Capen,
E. T. Martin,
John D. Smith,
John H. McCann,
Hiland H. Warren,
A. M. Straker,
William Thompson,
C. L. Stratton,
Harrah K. Bennett,
Edward Belanger,
J. F. Noonan,
E. C. Wilkins,
F. S. Wilkinson,
F. K. Page,
E. L. Barnes,
W. N. Salter,
J. W. Lloyd,
W. S. Parkhurst,
George W. Bullock,
J. M. Keeffe,
W. H. Atherton,
H. W. Goodell,
Charles B. Boutelle,
Frank P. Greene,
H. C. Gallagher,
F. E. S. Gibson,
Martin F. Farrell,
E. A. Washburn,
E. M. Mears,
H. W. Hager,
O. E. Bickford,
M. M. Carley,
William Dawson,
A. F. Nourse,
James A. Smith,
Benjamin F. Pierce,
Benjamin F. Ordway,
T. B. Snow,
T. J. Godley,
Frank Belliveau,
H. H. Churchill,
J. B. Spinney.

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Constables.

Aldrich, Frank W.
Ames, Henry E.
Battles, George W.
Bergeron, Napoleon
Bishop, James R.
Bradley, Frank A.
Carter, Edward F.
Caswell, Charles M.
Connig, Isaac P.
Conrad, T. Joshua
Corley, Patrick T.
Cowdrey, Charles F.
Croto, Joseph
Cushing, Charles T.
Cuthbertson, Alexander
Dwinnell, B. D.
Fairbanks, Charles L.
Farrell, Martin
Flagg, Albert H.
Foley, Cornelius F.
Gardner, Henry E.
Garside, John W.
Gibson, Artemus A.
Gibson, Charles H.
Gibson, Charles O.
Gillis, Charles F.
Gleason, Patrick F.
Gough, Charles E.
Gove, Horace F.
Green, George N.
Hall, Martin S.
Hardy, William A.
Harris, Samuel W.
Hayward, Charles E. F.
Henry, William E.
Hill, Fred D.
Holton, George P.
Jarvis, Henry E.
Kendall, Charles W.
Lewis, George T.
Liversage, Austin L.
Lord, George W.
Lowe, Willard A.
Marshall, Alfred A.
McIntire, H. D.
Morin, William
Newell, George A.
Peirce, Joseph M.
Putnam, J. Edward
Sanderson, Lorenzo E.
Sanderson, T. Lyman
Sheehan, John J.
Smith, John T.
Twichell, Seth
Wyman, Herbert W.

And all members of the Police Force.

Constables to Serve Civil Processes.

Martin S. Hall, Herbert D. McIntire.

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Undertakers.

Henry L. Sawyer, 211 Main Street.
James J. Phelan, 156 Water Street.
Timothy F. Hartnett, 38 Charles Street.
John R. Smith, 181 Water Street.
A. Horace LaRue, 64 Walnut Street.
J. Ovide Dumas, 187 Fairmount Street.
Henry O. Sawyer, 7 Main Street.
Joseph Charron, 42 Plymouth Street.

Public Weighers of Beef.

Frank D. Page, James Hanna.
Nellie Donovan.

Public Weighers of Coal.

Patrick F. Burke,
Waldo E. Clapp,
Nellie Donovan,
James Hanna,
Charles Lessard,
Jeremiah D. Keating,
Thomas D. Kielty,
Thomas A. Monahan,
Alfred R. Ordway,
Edgar B. Twitchell,
Frank D. Page.

Public Weighers of Hay, Grain and Other Articles.

W. E. Clapp,
Oren W. Delaney,
Nellie Dovovan,
Eddie F. Marble,
H. D. McIntire,
Alfred R. Ordway,
Frank D. Page,
Peter Poland,
Jeremiah Shea,
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George R. Wallace,
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PUBLIC WEIGHER OF COTTON, COTTON YARN AND OTHER ARTICLES.

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Frank D. Page. Nellie Donovan.

PUBLIC WEIGHERS OF STONE.

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Patrick Carey, August Nelson,
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Joseph Normandin.

PUBLIC WEIGHERS OF IRON, STEEL, LUMBER, ETC.

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August Beck,
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William A. Garno,
Charles H. Greene,
James Hanna,
Walter D. Holman,
Jeremiah Keating,
Thomas E. Kielty,
Charles E. Lacey,
Richard A. Leonard,
Charles Lessard,
Herbert D. McIntire,
J. Wilder Merriam,
Thomas A. Monahan,
Joseph Normandin,
Peter Poland,
Fred L. Rolph,
Arthur W. Stickney,
Milan G. Twichell,
Harrison Upton.

Surveyors of Lumber.

Henry B. Abell,
John Z. Collette,
John F. Desmond,
Henry J. Garno,
William A. Garno,
Eugene J. Haren,
Charles W. Kinsman,
John F. Lynch,
Richard A. Leonard,
Frank W. Lesure,
Thomas Lapointe,
Charles E. Mansfield,
Herbert D. McIntire,
Jerome Mossman,
George H. Priest,
Russell K. Proctor,
Alvin O. Stickney,
George F. Stocker,
Seth Twichell,
George E. Wellington.

Fence Viewers.

Andrew Pratt,
William A. Hardy,
Joseph T. Battles.

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FIELD DRIVER.

Martin C. Larkin.

POUND KEEPER.

Charles L'Ecuyer.

JANITOR OF CITY HALL.

Charles T. Cushing.

Office, City Hall Building. Residence, 26 Mechanic Street.

AGENT OF BOARD OF ALDERMEN TO FURNISH RELIEF TO U. S. SOLDIERS AND SAILORS AND THEIR WIDOWS, UNDER CHAP. 189, ACTS OF 1900.

Sidney Sibley.

SUITABLE PERSON TO PROPERLY BURY THE BODY OF ANY HONORABLY DISCHARGED U. S. SOLDIER OR SAILOR OR THEIR WIVES, WIDOWS OR DEPENDENT MOTHERS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 102, ACTS OF 1900.

Ira G. Wilkins.

CITY FORESTER.

Under the provisions of Sect. 1, of Chapter 25 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Fitchburg, with power to act under the provisions of Section 2 of Chapter 123 of the Acts of the year 1885 and all acts or parts of acts passed in extension or amendment thereof.

John H. Daniels.

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TRUSTEES OF BURBANK HOSPITAL.

Mayor, Charles A. Babbitt, *Chairman, ex officio.*
President of Common Council, John Leiper.
City Treasurer, George E. Clifford.

For One Year: Alvah Crocker, Henry T. Page, Rodney Wallace, Charles T. Crocker, Charles E. Ware.

For Two Years: John J. Sheehan, Elliott N. Choate, Henry A. Willis, R. R. Conn, A. H. Burgess.

For Three Years: James Phillips, Jr., E. P. Miller, M. D., Charles H. Rice, M. D., F. H. Thompson, M. D., Benjamin D. Dwinnell.

Clerk of Board of Trustees and of Executive Committee, E. N. Choate.
Vice-Chairman, Charles E. Ware.
Treasurer, Henry A. Willis.
Auditors, R. R. Conn, E. N. Choate.

Executive Committee: Mayor, *Chairman*, President Common Council, *ex officiis*, Rodney Wallace, Benjamin D. Dwinnell, Charles E. Ware.

Finance Committee: James Phillips, Jr., Geo. E. Clifford, Alvah Crocker.

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Hospital Staff.

Surgeons: Dr. F. H. Thompson, Dr. E. P. Miller, Dr. W. F. Sawyer.

Assistant to Surgeons: Dr. A. P. Lowell.

Physicians: Dr. Eustace L. Fiske, Dr. C. W. Spring, Dr. H. H. Lyons.

Consulting Physician and Surgeon: Dr. C. H. Rice.

Special Consulting Surgeon: Dr. Maurice H. Richardson of Boston.

Pathologist: Dr. A. P. Mason.

Matron and Principal of School for Nurses, Miss Phebe W. Maddock.

Head Nurse: Miss Ada M. Whyte.

Interne: Dr. Hiram B. West.

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

George P. Grant, Jr., . .	term exp. 1905.
Henry F. Coggshall, . .	term exp. 1904.
John H. Daniels, . . .	term exp. 1903.
Fred N. Dillon, . . .	term exp. 1906.
John Shirreffs, ...	term exp. 1907.

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

CHARLES A. BABBITT, Mayor,

ex officio, Chairman, 431 Main Street.

John Leiper, President of the Common Council, *ex officio*, Longwood Avenue.

WARD ONE.

	TERM EXPIRES.
Peter F. Ward, 21 Pine St.,	Jan. 1903.
John M. Donlan, 89 Albee St.,	Jan. 1904.
John R. Smith, 181 Water St.,	Jan. 1905.

WARD TWO.

Martin E. Murnane, 29 Forest St.,	Jan. 1903.
John E. Kellogg, 411 Main St.,	Jan. 1904.
Camille Gariepy, 132 Fairmount St.,	Jan. 1905.

WARD THREE.

James Pearce, 60 Temple St.,	Jan. 1903.
Boardman Parkhurst, 87 Ashburnham St.,	Jan. 1904.
John H. Daniels, 50 Mechanic St.,	Jan. 1905.

WARD FOUR.

Charles H. Rice, 12 Prichard St.,	Jan. 1903.
Clarence W. Spring, 61 Fox St.,	Jan. 1904.
James DeWolf Perry, Jr., 18 Fox St.,	Jan. 1905.

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WARD FIVE.

J. Milton Hubbard, 22 Highland Ave., Jan. 1903.
Henry A. Goodrich, 31 Highland Ave., Jan. 1904.
Abram Conklin, 65 Highland Ave., Jan. 1905.

WARD SIX.

Frederick F. Woodward, 5 Bluff Ave., Jan. 1903.
Charles Smith, 41 Smith St., Jan. 1904.
Daniel F. Sullivan, 212 Water St., Jan. 1905.

Secretary of Board and Superintendent of Schools, JOSEPH G. EDGERLY, Residence, 37 Atlantic Ave., Office, 229 Main St., Safety Fund Bank Building. Office Hours, from 4 to 5 P. M., School Days.

REGULAR MEETINGS OF THE BOARD AT COMMON COUNCIL ROOM, CITY HALL.

First Monday in each month, excepting July, August and September.

School Committee Rooms, 229 Main St., Clerk at School Committee Rooms, Miss Emilie B. Hall. Office Hours during term time, 8.15 to 12 A. M.; 2 to 5.30 P. M.

Truant Officer, William E. Henry, Residence, 64 Grove Street. Office at School Committee Rooms.

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Standing Committees.

Finance, Accounts and Estimates: Messrs. Goodrich, J. R. Smith, Murnane, Pearce, Spring, Woodward,

Text Books and Course of Study: Messrs. Rice, J. R. Smith, Kellogg, Parkhurst, Hubbard, Charles Smith.

Attendance: Messrs. Woodward, Donlan, Murnane, Pearce, Perry, Goodrich.

School Houses and Hygiene: Messrs. Kellogg, Ward, Daniels, Rice, Conklin, Sullivan.

Music: Messrs. Daniels, Donlon, Gariepy, Perry, Hubbard, Charles Smith.

Drawing and Manual Training: Messrs. Ward, Gariepy, Parkhurst, Spring, Conklin, Sullivan.

Teachers: Messrs. Rice, J. R. Smith, Kellogg, Parkhurst, Hubbard, Charles Smith, Woodward, Goodrich, Ward.

Visiting Committees.

Division 1—High School. Messrs. Rice, J. R. Smith, Kellogg, Woodward, Pearce, Goodrich.

Division 2—High Street and Academy Street: Messrs. Spring, Rice, Perry, Murnane, Gariepy.

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Division 3—Day Street, Highland Avenue, Edgerly School and Pearl Hill: Messrs. Goodrich, Hubbard, Conklin, J. R. Smith, Ward.

Division 4—Lunenburg Street, Goodrich Street, Maverick Street and South Fitchburg: Messrs. Charles Smith, Woodward, Sullivan, Perry, Conklin.

Division 5—Salem Street, South Street, Laurel Street and Rollstone Street: Messrs. Kellogg, Donlan, Hubbard, Ward, Charles Smith.

Division 6—Clarendon Street, School Street, and Dean Hill: Messrs. Daniels, Spring, Murnane, Parkhurst and Gariepy.

Division 7—Ashburnham Street, Wachusett and Woodbury: Messrs. Pearce, Parkhurst, Donlan, Daniels, Sullivan.

Evening Schools: Messrs. Hubbard, Ward, Parkhurst, Conklin, Pearce.

Private Schools: Messrs. Perry, Donlan, Gariepy, Spring, J. R. Smith.

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TEACHERS.

January, 1902.

HIGH SCHOOL.

Principal, George P. Hitchcock.

A. Eugene Nolen,
E. Adams Hartwell,
Charles T. Woodbury,
William W. Obear,
Charles W. Cobb,
Irene C. Cowles,
Elizabeth A. H. Sleeper,
Caroline F. Fairbanks,
Althea V. Sleeper,
Mary C. Smith,
Alice W. Brown,
Sarah L. O'Toole,
Grace E. Blanchard,
Maud L. Gifford,
Mary L. Clark,
Martha A. Sargent,
Stella A. Woodward,
Alice H. Spaulding,

Mabel A. Fitz, Nellie L. Wiley, Stenography and Typewriting.

William Briggs, Elwell F. Kimball, Beatrice M. Briggs, Drawing and Manual Training.

Helen F. Stratton, Librarian.

SCHOOL STREET.

INTERMEDIATE.

Etta F. Willard.

UNGRADED.

Abbie A. Whittemore.

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PRIMARY.

Dora F. Harris, Josephine Reynolds,
Effie M. Cuthbertson.

HIGH STREET.

GRAMMAR.

George H. Hastings, Grace U. Davis,
Lillian M. Russell, Ella F. Caswell,
Clara A. Woodbury, Mary E. Whitty,
Harriet M. Delahanty.

INTERMEDIATE.

May A. Conrad, Clara L. Tenney.

PRIMARY.

Sara F. Derby, Edna A. Spring,
M. Lizzie Kimball, Catherine E. Whitty,
Edith M. Hopkins.

EAST STREET.

PRIMARY.

Katherine A. McGrath, Mary T. Kivlon.

GOODRICH STREET.

GRAMMAR.

Henry R. Flanders, Helen G. Jones,
Nellie A. Dwyer, M. Eldora Jones.

INTERMEDIATE.

Mary C. Keough, Jennie A. Goodrich.

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PRIMARY.

Helen E. Woodbury, Katie A. Gallagher.
Winifred H. Flynn.

MAVERICK STREET.

PRIMARY.

Mary E. Gallagher, Eva M. Barnes.

SOUTH FITCHBURG.

GRAMMAR.

Clara B. Tozier, Florence A. Keough.

INTERMEDIATE.

Emma J. Daffy, Alice E. Welch.

PRIMARY.

Annie L. Carey, Mary L. Shannon,
Mary L. Smith, Sara T. Morrill.

MIDDLE STREET.

INTERMEDIATE.

Lizzie M. Nolan.

PRIMARY.

Lizzie A. Daly, Mary E. Bartley.

SOUTH STREET.

INTERMEDIATE.

Clarissa D. Hosmer.

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PRIMARY.

M. Lizzie Sullivan, Katherine F. McConnell.

LAUREL STREET.

GRAMMAR.

Ernest E. Noble, Anna F. Markham,
Annie J. Daffy, Hattie A. Smith,

INTERMEDIATE.

Jennie M. Hills, Mary A. Connig.

ROLLSTONE STREET.

PRIMARY.

Winifred Murnane, Martha S. H. Wright,
Jennie R. Rice, Janet Y. Wright.

CLARENDON STREET.

GRAMMAR.

Emma J. Bennett, Alice B. Hoyt.

INTERMEDIATE.

Kate T. Morrilly, Annie E. Putnam.

PRIMARY.

Edith F. Howe, Sarah M. Bacon,
Margaret O'Connor, Florence Day.

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ASHBURNHAM STREET.

GRAMMAR.

Ernest P. Carr, Louise H. Phillips,
Mary F. Sheehan, Nellie L. Dacey.

INTERMEDIATE.

Rose A. Cullen, Mary A. Hayes.

PRIMARY.

Katherine Morrill, Mary A. Leonard.

WACHUSETT.

INTERMEDIATE.

May A. Lee.

PRIMARY.

Maude E. Whitney.

SUBURBAN SCHOOLS.

WOODBURY—Jessie E. Worster.
PEARL HILL—Ruth M. Jefts.
DEAN HILL—Mary L. Finnegan.

SUPERVISORS FOR GRADES BELOW THE HIGH SCHOOL.

SINGING.

Elizabeth A. Lovering.

DRAWING.

Emma F. Chaffin.

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MODEL AND TRAINING SCHOOLS CONNECTED WITH FITCHBURG STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Charles S. Alexander, *Principal.*

Each training school is under the immediate charge of a second or third year pupil from the Normal school, under the direction of the Supervisors, at the respective buildings.

EDGERLY SCHOOL, NORTH STREET.—ELEVEN SCHOOLS.

Supervisors. Charles S. Alexander and Mattie A. Cole.

Teachers. Annie K. Kirby, Seventh and Eighth Grades—Model. Mary L. Merrill, Ungraded.

NORMAL SCHOOL BUILDING.—FOUR SCHOOLS.

MODEL.

Teachers. L. Frances Jones, First Grade; Ida M. Austin, Second Grade; Mary E. McConnell, Third and Fourth Grades; Margaret M. Slattery, Fifth and Sixth Grades.

HIGHLAND AVENUE.—TWO SCHOOLS.

Supervisor. Mattie A. Cole.

DAY STREET.—NINE SCHOOLS.

Supervisors. Matilda B. Doland and Mary Isabel Chapin; Blanche L. Russell, Ungraded School.

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SUPERVISORS OF STUDIES FROM NORMAL SCHOOLS FOR ALL MODEL AND TRAINING SCHOOLS.

Annette J. Warner, Drawing.
Flora E. Kendall, English.
Helen M. Humphrey, Mathematics.
Nellie B. Allen, Geography.
Elizabeth D. Perry, Music and Gymnastics.
Abby P. Churchill, Nature Study.
Florence E. Miller, History.
Edwin A. Kirkpatrick, Child Study.
Preston Smith, Science.
Joseph T. Whitney, Manual Training.

SCHOOL YEAR, 1901-2.

FIRST TERM of twenty weeks began September 3, 1901; ended January 24, 1902.

SECOND TERM of twenty weeks began January 27, ends June 27, 1902.

SCHOOL YEAR, 1902-03.

FIRST TERM of twenty weeks begins September 2, 1902; ends January 23, 1903.

HOLIDAYS AND RECESSES, 1902.

All national and state holidays; the day next succeeding Thanksgiving Day; one week, beginning Monday, February 24; one week, beginning Monday, April 28; one week, beginning Monday, December 22.

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SALARIES.

	Per Annum.
Superintendent of Schools, . . .	$2,700.00

HIGH SCHOOL.

Principal, ...	$2,500.00
Two Male Assistants, each, . .	1,400.00
One Male Assistant, ...	1,350.00
One Male Assistant, ...	1,100.00
One Male Assistant, ...	1,000.00
One Female Assistant, . . .	850.00
Three Female Assistants, each, .	800.00
Six Female Assistants, each, . .	750.00
One Female Assistant, . . .	700.00
Two Female Assistants, each, . .	650.00
One Female Assistant, . . .	600.00
One Female Assistant, . . .	320.00
One Teacher Manual Training, .	1,400.00
One Assistant Teacher Manual Training,	900.00
One Assistant Teacher Manual Training,	500.00
One Teacher Singing, . . .	300.00
Librarian, ...	500.00

GRAMMAR SCHOOLS.

Principals, ...	$1,200.00

The following is the schedule of salaries of teachers in Intermediate, Primary and Ungraded Schools, and assistant teachers in the Grammar Schools: First year, $280; second year, $320; third year, $360; fourth year, $400; fifth year, $480; sixth and subsequent years, $560.

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FITCHBURG STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

Established 1895.

Under Management of State Board of Education.

BOARD OF VISITORS.

HON. J. D. MILLER, *Chairman.*

MRS. ALICE FREEMAN PALMER.

TEACHERS.

JOHN G. THOMPSON, *Principal,*
Pedagogy.

EDWIN A. KIRKPATRICK, Psychology and Child Study.

PRESTON SMITH, Natural Science.

JOSEPH T. WHITNEY, Manual Training.

FLORA E. KENDALL, English.

NELLIE B. ALLEN, Geography.

HELEN M. HUMPHREY, Mathematics.

FLORENCE M. MILLER, History.

ANNETTE J. WARNER, Drawing.

ELIZABETH D. PERRY, Physical Training and Music.

ABBY P. CHURCHILL, Nature Study.

FLORENCE E. SCOTT, Kindergarten.

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MODEL AND PRACTICE SCHOOLS CONNECTED WITH THE FITCHBURG STATE NORMAL SCHOOL.

CHARLES S. ALEXANDER, *Principal.*

The teachers in the Normal School supervise the teaching of their respective subjects in the Model and Practice Schools.

PRACTICE SCHOOLS.

CHARLES S. ALEXANDER, *Principal*, Supervisor in Grammar Grades.

MATILDA B. DOLAND, Supervisor in Grammar Grades.

MATTIE E. COLE, Supervisor in Intermediate Grades.

MARY I. CHAPIN, Supervisor in Primary Grades.

MODEL SCHOOLS.

L. FRANCES JONES, Grade 1.

IDA M. AUSTIN, Grade 2.

MARY MCCONNELL, Grades 3 and 4.

MARGARET M. SLATTERY, Grades 5 and 6.

ANNIE KIRBY, Grades 7 and 8.

MATILDA B. DOLAND, Grade 9.

BLANCHE L. RUSSELL, Ungraded.

MARY L. MERRILL, Ungraded.

KINDERGARTEN.

FLORENCE E. SCOTT, Principal.

GEORGIANA H. JUBB, Assistant.

The model schools (nine rooms) and the practice schools (sixteen rooms) are located in the Day street, Highland avenue, North street and Normal School buildings.

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CALENDAR.

EIGHTH SCHOOL YEAR.

1902. June 25, Wednesday, public graduation.
June 26 and 27, Thursday and Friday, first entrance examination.
September 9 and 10, Tuesday and Wednesday, second entrance examination.
September 11, Thursday, school year begins for entering classes.
September 2, Tuesday, school year begins for all others. Model and Practice schools open.
November 27, 28 and 29, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Thanksgiving recess.
December 12, Friday, fall term ends.

CHRISTMAS VACATION, TWO WEEKS.

December 30, Tuesday, term begins.
1903. February 20, Friday, term ends.

WINTER VACATION, ONE WEEK.

March 3, Tuesday, term begins.
April 24, Friday, term ends.

SPRING VACATION, ONE WEEK.

May 5, Tuesday, spring term begins.
May 30, Saturday, Memorial day.
June 24, Wednesday, public graduation.
June 25 and 26, Thursday and Friday, first entrance examination.

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SUMMER VACATION, TEN WEEKS.

September 8 and 9, Tuesday and Wednesday, second entrance examination.

September 10, Thursday, school year begins.

The weekly holiday of the school is on Monday, except the weeks preceding the Thanksgiving recess, the Christmas, Winter, and Spring vacations when there is a session on Monday and none on Saturday. The model schools conform to the practice of other public schools in Fitchburg and have their holiday on Saturday. The hours are from 9 A. M. to 12 M. and from 1.45 P. M. to 3.45 P. M. Entrance examinations begin at 9 A. M.

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Salaries of City Officers

FOR 1902.

Mayor,	$2,000.00
Chairman Board of Health,	300.00
City Clerk,	1,500.00
City Auditor,	1,200.00
City Treasurer and Collector,	2,000.00
City Engineer,	1,500.00
City Physician,	700.00
Superintendent of Streets, including horse; also keeping horse at City Barn,	1,400.00
Water Commissioners, each, per day,	2.50
Clerk of Common Council,	100.00
Almoner of Overseers of the Poor,	900.00
Superintendent at Almshouse,	750.00
Matron at Almshouse,	300.00
Superintendent of Water Works, including horse,	1,650.00
Chief Engineer of Fire Department,	1,200.00
Assistant Engineers, each,	190.00
Engineers of Steamers, each,	130.00
Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph and Inspector of Wires,	1,000.00
Clerk of Committees,	100.00
Firemen, each,	130.00
Captains of Hose, Hook and Ladder and Fire Companies,	140.00

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Lieutenants of Hose, Hook and Ladder and Fire Companies,	$135.00
Assessors, each,	1,000.00
Assistant Assessors, each, per day,	2.75
Chief of Police, including horse hire,	1,400.00
Policemen, each, per day—First year,	2.50
Second year,	2.60
Third year,	2.75
Captain of Police, per day,	3.25
First Lieutenant of Police, per day,	3.10
Second Lieutenant of Police, per day,	3.00
Sergeant of Police, per day,	2.85
Reserve Police Officers, per day,	2.35
City Hall Janitor,	800.00
City Solicitor,	1,000.00
Milk Inspector,	25.00
Permanent men of Fire Department, each, per day,	2.50
Wardens, Inspectors and Ward Clerk, each, per day,	6.00
Registrars of Voters, per hour,	.40
Water Registrar,	1,200.00
Superintendent of Public Buildings and Inspector of Buildings,	1,000.00
Inspector of Animals,	400.00
Inspector of Provisions,	200.00
Agent Board of Aldermen to furnish relief to U. S. Soldiers and Sailors and their Widows,	100.00
Chairman Board License Commissioners, at rate per year of	300.00
Other License Commissioners, each, at rate per year of	200.00
Street Commissioners, each,	300.00

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APPROPRIATIONS TO PAY, AND PAID, MATURING INDEBTEDNESS, 1901.

Armory Sinking Fund,	$1,178.10	
Interest on Bonds,	1,800.00	
Bridge Loan Sinking F'd,	1,000.00	
Chemical Engine Loan,	300.00	
County Tax,	25,079.00	
Fire Dept. Sinking Fund,	3,500.00	
Fire Station Loans,	2,400.00	
General Sinking Fund,	6,000.00	
Grade Cross. L'n Sink. F'd,	700.00	
Paving Loan,	2,700.00	
Police Station Loan,	2,000.00	
Police Sta'n L'n Sink. F'd,	3,300.00	
Public Park Loan,	2,000.00	
Public Building Loan,	500.00	
School Loan Sinking F'd,	6,800.00	
School House Loan,	3,900.00	
Sewer Loans,	5,500.00	
Sewer Loan Sinking F'd,	2,700.00	
Side Walk Loan,	3,600.00	
State Nor. Sch. Sink. F'd,	1,000.00	
State Tax,	14,542.50	
State Tax, Highway.	79.00	
Street Cons'n Sink. Fund,	6,000.00	
Street Construction Loan,	6,000.00	
Water Loan Sink. Fund,	16,000.00	
		$119,578.60

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CITY OF FITCHBURG, MASS.

CITY AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

December 26, 1901.

The following table presents the Ledger footings of the City Auditor, showing the appropriations for the year 1901, together with the receipts, expenditures and balances unexpended for the twelve months ending Nov. 30, 1901.

	APPROPRIATIONS AND RECEIPTS.	EXPENDITURES.	BALANCES UNEXPENDED.	DEFICIT BAL.
Assessors' Plans,	$700.00	$772.27		$72.27
Assessors' Clerical Serv.,	400.00	367.80	$32.20	
Board of Health,	4,589.83	4,467.05	122.78	
Burbank Hospital Mtce.,	13,000.00	13,000.00		
City Engineering,	3,050.00	3,805.30		755.30
Fire Department,	28,210.22	30,300.27		2,090.05
*Fire Sta'n, Fairmount St.,	9,681.52	8,587.59	1,093.93	
*Fire Station Fairmount St., Equipment,	8,000.00	7,170.63	829.37	
House Offal,	2,700.00	2,718.81		18.81
Incidentals,	41,581.31	30,174.25	11,407.06	
Interest,	57,934.55	56,789.36	1,145.19	

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Interest Water Debt,	27,860.00	27,860.00		
*Isolation Hospital,	1,500.00	1,491.51	8.49	
Lighting Streets,	32,000.00	30,843.17	1,156.83	
Police Department,	33,139.68	34,524.94		1,385.26
Printing,	4,653 65	4,412.52	241.13	
Public Burial Grounds,	7,258.92	5,938.68	1,320.24	
Public Parks,	2,799.29	2,867.50		68.21
Public Library,	8,883.80	8,812.02	71.78	
Rep. and Care Pub. Bdgs.,	6,000.00	5,973.04	26.96	
Salaries,	15,000.00	14,886.47	113.53	
*Sch. House, So. Fitchburg, Improvement,	10,894.80	10,831.96	62.84	
*School House Academy Street, old,		3,632.75	912.51	
*School House, Salem St.,	12,000.00	7,454.74		
School Department,	99,669.00	102,053.61		2,384.61
School Incidentals,	6,506.31	6,582.13		75.82
School Books,	6,083.82	6,079.94	3.88	
*Sewerage Construction,	7,526.80	7,419.76	107.04	
Sewerage Maintenance,	1,666.93	5,083.28		3,416.35
*Side Walk Construction,	5,192.34	5,148.98	43.36	
Side Walk Maintenance,	1,817.82	2,542.84		725.02
Soldiers Relief,	5,800.01	7,079.94		1,279.93
*Street Construction,	36,354.17	35,970.50	383.67	
Street Maintenance,	43,624.24	43,888.59		264.35

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St. Macadam Maintenance,	383.91	383.91		
*St. Paving Construction,	24,353.76	24,344.01	9.75	
St. Paving Maintenance,	4,781.61	4,781.61		
Support of Poor,	27,170.96	28,695.86		1,524.90
Watering Streets,	4,739.91	4,241.63	498.28	
	$607,509.16	$601,979.22	$19,590.82	$14,060.88
		Less Overdrawn,	14,060.88	
			$5,529.94	

CARRIED FORWARD.

Fire Station Fairmount St.,	$1,093.93	
Fire Sta. Fairmount St. Equipm't,	829.37	
Isolation Hospital,	8.49	
Public Burial Grounds,	1,320.24	
So. Fitchburg School House Imp.,	62.84	
Street Paving Construction,	9.75	
School House, Salem St.,	912.51	
Sewer Construction,	107.04	
Side Walk Construction,	43.36	
Street Construction,	383.67	
		$4,771.20
Incidental balance Nov. 30, 1901,		$758.74

HENRY JACKSON, *City Auditor.*

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Estimate of Money to be Raised

FOR THE YEAR 1902,

AS REPORTED BY FINANCE COMMITTEE, MARCH 4, 1902.

Assessors' Plans,	$700.00	
Assessors' Clerical Service,	350.00	
Board of Health,	4,500.00	
Burbank Hospital Mtce.,	13,000.00	
City Engineering,	3,000.00	
Fire Department,	32,000.00	
House Offal,	2,800.00	
Incidentals,	1,235.37	
Lighting Streets,	32,000.00	
Police Department,	30,000.00	
Printing,	4,000.00	
Public Burial Grounds,	2,000.00	
Public Parks,	2,500.00	
Public Library,	6,500.00	
Repairs and Care Pub. Bdgs.,	6,500.00	
Salaries,	15,000.00	
School Department,	99,000.00	
School Incidentals,	6,000.00	
School Books,	6,000.00	
Sewerage Maintenance,	3,000.00	
Sidewalk Maintenance,	2,000.00	
Soldiers' Relief,	6,000.00	
Street Maintenance,	32,000.00	
Support of Poor,	23,000.00	
Watering Streets,	1,500.00	
		$334,585.37

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APPROPRIATIONS TO PAY MATURING INDEBTEDNESS FOR THE YEAR 1902.

Armory Sinking Fund,	$1,178.10	
Interest on Bonds,	1,800.00	
Bridge Loan Sinking Fund,	963.40	
County Tax,	26,748.00	
Fire Dept. Sinking Fund,	3,100.00	
Fire Station Loans,	3,500.00	
General Sinking Fund,	2,500.00	
Grade Crossing Loan Sinking Fund,	700 00	
Isolation Hospital Loan,	300.00	
Paving Loans,	6,300.00	
Police Station Loan,	2,000.00	
Police Station Loan Sink. Fd,	3,300.00	
Public Building Loan,	500.00	
School Loan Sinking Fund,	4,500.00	
School House Loan,	6,800.00	
Sewer Loans,	5,800.00	
Sewer Loans Sinking Fund,	1,500.00	
Sidewalk Loan,	2,400.00	
State Normal School Sink. Fd,	1,000.00	
State Tax (sum assessed).		
Street Construction Sink. Fd,	6,000.00	
Street Construction Loan,	9,500.00	
Water Loan Sinking Fund,	16,000.00	
Interest Water Debt,	23,860.00	
Interest,	44,000.00	
		$147,501.50

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FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH.

JOHN W. RAND, *Superintendent.*

LOCATION OF SIGNAL BOXES.

BOXES.	
8	Iver Johnson's Shop, River St.
9	Main and River Sts.
12	Sheldon St., near Worsted Mill.
132	Prospect St., near Prince St.
14	High St. School House.
15	City Hall.
16	Main and Oliver Sts.
116	Newton Place.
17	Prichard and Spring Sts.
18	Mt. Vernon St., near Goodwin St.
21	Falulah St. South Fitchburg.
231	Water St., near Leominster line.
232	Private, Power Station F. & L. St. Railway.
23	City Farm.
24	Opposite Jail.
25	Water and Fourth Sts.
26	Opposite Union Machine Shop.
27	Main and Laurel Sts.
28	Corner of Middle and Second Sts.
29	Private, Fitchburg Gas & Electric Light Co.
31	Cane St., near Fulton St.
32	Near Car Shops, South Fitchburg.
34	Fitchburg Machine Works, Main St.

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341 Corner of Beacon St. and Atlantic Ave.
342 Cor. Summer and Hancock Sts.
35 Corner of Green and North Sts.
36 Corner of Highland Ave. and Congress Sts.
37 Lunenburg St., opposite Congress St.
371 Corner Lunenburg and Boutelle Sts.
372 Boutelle St., opposite Jackson Ave.
374 Lunenburg Road, near line.
38 Summer and Goodrich Sts.
39 Private, Fitch. Worsted Mill, near Water St.
41 Walnut St., near South St.
42 Milk and Maple Sts.
43 Pine and South Sts.
45 Winthrop and Forest Sts.
46 Franklin and Rollstone Sts.
47 Circle St., near Parkhill Mill.
48 Beech St.
49 Corner of Beech and Pratt Sts.
51 Corner of Pearl and Cedar Sts.
512 North St. Extension.
513 Pearl Hill Road.
52 Blossom and Hawes Sts.
53 Blossom and Mechanic Sts.
54 Mechanic and Fruit Sts.
56 City Hospital.
57 Corner of Wood and Pearl Sts.
61 Laurel and Rollstone Sts.
62 Walton and Pine Sts.
63 Charles and South Sts.
64 Nashua and Washington Sts.
65 Albee and Hassett Sts.
67 Heywood, Salem and Canton Sts.
71 River St. and Eaton Road, West Fitchburg.

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72 Depot St., West Fitchburg.
73 Ashburnham St., West Fitchburg.
74 Station No. 2, West Fitchburg.
76 Westminster St. and Princeton Road, W. F.
78 Princeton Road and Old Turnpike, W. F.
81 River St. and Oak Hill Road.
82 Cleghorn St.
83 Clarendon and Columbus Sts.
84 Gates St. off Fairmount St.
712 Norwood and Eaton Sts.
731 Fairview St.
734 Phillips St.

COMPANY RUNNING RULES.

Companies will respond to boxes as indicated in the running card.

Upon an alarm from any box, all companies not called will report at their respective stations and remain there until dismissed by signal on the bell.

After an alarm has been given, should another alarm come from any other box before the companies not employed have been dismissed, they will respond to the same.

TEN BLOWS.

Calls all except the West Fitchburg company to Oliver street Station, without apparatus; the West Fitchburg company to Station No. 2. The number of blows following will designate the Fire District where assistance is wanted. If no district call is given it will indicate that assistance has been asked from out of town.

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TEST BLOWS.

12 M. and 9 P. M. Hitch-up blows 7.05 P. M. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

For brush or forest fires send word by telephone or otherwise to Central Station, or either of the engineers.

After an alarm from any box, companies not called by the running card will respond to the following—

SPECIAL CALLS.

ONE BLOW CALLS HOSE 1.

TWO BLOWS CALLS HOSE 2.

THREE BLOWS CALLS HOSE 3.

FOUR BLOWS CALLS HOSE 4.

FIVE BLOWS CALLS HOSE 5.

THREE ONES (1-1-1) CALLS TRUCK 1.

THREE TWOS (2-2-2) CALLS TRUCK 2.

THREE THREES (3-3-3) CALLS TRUCK 3.

TWO TWOS (2-2) CALLS STEAMER NO. 2.

TWO THREE (3-3) CALLS STEAMER NO. 3.

GENERAL ALARM.

SEVEN BLOWS after an alarm from any box calls all companies.

Two (2) blows with a pause of twenty-five seconds between, dismisses all companies remaining at their stations and indicates the fire under control.

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Two THREES (3-3) no school signal. Struck at 7.35 and 11.30 A. M.

Two FOURS (4-4) will be a signal for electric light to shut off current.

Two FIVES (5-5) police call.

TWELVE BLOWS will be a signal for the militia to assemble.

Companies will answer all telephone alarms in their respective districts.

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CITY OF FITCHBURG.

STREETS TO BE WATERED, SEASON OF 1902.

WARD ONE.

	FEET.
Albee st., from Birch st. to No. 123 Albee street,	1,220
South st., from Laurel st. to south line of Sprague's land,	200
South st., from Payson st. to Charles st.,	600
Laurel st., from Main st. to Charles st.,	2,390
Mill st., from Main st. to Laurel st.,	320
Milk st., from Winthrop st. to Ash st.,	730
Winthrop st. from Milk st., to Forest st.,	270
Forest st., from Laurel st. to William st.,	950
Charles st., from South st. to Rollstone st.,	2,025
Walnut st., from South st. to Water st.,	1,300
Nashua st., from South st. to Worcester st.,	1,360
Payson st., from Laurel st. to South st.,	670
Cross st., from Laurel st. to South st.,	460
New st., from Laurel st. to Water st.,	480
	12,975

WARD TWO.

Newton place, from Main st. southerly,	250
Putnam st., from Main st. to Laurel st.,	980
Westminster st., from River st. to Princeton Road,	5,780

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	FEET.
Princeton Road, from Westminster st. to Wachusett station,	2,970
River st., from Main st. to Westminster st.,	8,400
Rollstone st., from Main st. to Baker st.,	270
Circle st., from Main st. to River st.,	1,470
Fairmount st., from Oak Hill Road to Daniels st.,	1,200
Daniels st., from Fairmount st. to Columbus st.,	850
William st., from Forest st. to Walton st.,	480
Kimball st., from Rollstone st. to Fairmount st.,	3,020
Depot Road, from Westminster st. to bridge over the river,	100
Cottage square and Cottage avenue,	700
Beech st., to and including No. 85,	1,440
Walton st. from Laurel st. to Pine st.,	1,260
Franklin st. from Rollstone st. to No. 50 Franklin st.,	840
	30,010

WARD THREE.

Arlington st., from Prospect st. to No. 84 Arlington st.,	1,460
Prospect st., from Main st. to View st.,	1,770
Prince st., from Prospect st. to School st.,	240
Mechanic st., from Main st. to and including No. 105,	2,050
High st. from Academy st. to land of Mrs. Johnson,	1,600
Bond st., from Arlington st. to and includ- No. 31,	340
Main st., from Myrtle ave. to Ashburnham Hill road,	7,050

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	FEET.
North Main st., and open square at upper common,	1,460
Ashburnham st., from River st. to and including No. 238,	2,510
Sanborn st., from Westminster st. to Temple st.,	950
Temple st., from Sanborn st. to Westminster st.,	1,850
West st., from Ashburnham Hill road to Sheldon st.,	600
View st., from Prospect st. westerly,	300
	22,180

WARD FOUR.

Academy st., from Main st. to land of Mrs. Fairbanks,	1,400
Central st., from Main st. to Prichard st.,	800
Grove st., from Main st. to Prichard st.,	810
Church st., from Main st., to Prichard st.,	795
Hartwell st., from Main st. to Prichard st.,	795
Fox st., from Main st. to Prichard st.,	795
Oliver st., from Main st. to Prichard st.,	765
Elm st., from Church st. to Prichard st.,	840
Adams st., from Hartwell st. to Prichard st.,	465
Prichard st., from Main st. to Academy st.,	1,930
Davis st., from Pleasant st., to Academy st.,	140
Pleasant st., from Crescent st. to High st.,	2,160
Brook st., from Grove st. to Central st.,	345
Crescent st., from Pleasant st. to Blossom st.,	365
Mt. Vernon st., from Crescent st. to Garnet st.,	1,600
Blossom st., from Main st. to Gage st.,	1,690
	15,695

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WARD FIVE.

	FEET.
Day st., from Main st. to Waverly st.,	1,440
Snow st., from Main st. to Pearl st.,	1,960
North st., from Main st. to Pearl st.,	2,200
Morris st., from Willow st. to Green st.,	550
Clinton st., from Green st. to Pearl st.,	1,275
Myrtle ave., from Main st. to Pearl st.,	2,245
Highland ave., from Lunenburg st. to Pearl st.,	2,110
Cedar st., from Congress st. to Rice st.,	2,110
Pacific st., from Congress st. to Pearl st.,	1,200
Cherry st., from Day st. to Snow st.,	250
Union st., from Day st. to Snow st.,	240
Green st., from Day st. to Highland ave.,	1,340
Congress st., from Clinton st. to and including No. 78,	1,155
Orange st., from Clinton st. to Pacific st.,	1,020
Concord st., from Highland ave. to Cedar st.,	240
Pearl st., from Blossom st. to Snow st.,	800
Pearl st., from North st. to Cedar st.,	870
Wood st., from Snow st. to Pearl st.,	375
Willow st., from Main st. to Green st.,	910
Waverly st., from Day st. to Snow st.,	260
	22,550

WARD SIX.

Lunenburg st., from Main st. to Boutelle st.,	2,385
Summer st., from Main st. to Burdell's east line,	4,000
Holt st., from Summer st. to Brigham park,	590
Winter st., from Summer st. to Lawrence st.,	850
Beacon st., from Summer st. to Atlantic ave.,	595

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	FEET.
Bluff ave., from Summer st. to Atlantic ave.,	405
Atlantic ave., from Beacon st. to Goodrich st.,	1,090
Boutelle st., from Lunenburg st. to Goodrich st.,	2,060
Townsend st., from Lunenburg st. northerly,	1,100
Water st., from Main st. to Wanoosnoc rd,	7,570
Depot court and Depot square,	400
Oak st., from Holt st. to Winter st.,	480
Harvard st., from Summer st. to Fulton st.,	700
Lawrence st., from Beacon st. to land of H. D. Horton,	450
	22,675

SUMMARY.

Ward one, . .	12,975 feet.
Ward two, . .	30,010 feet.
Ward three, . .	22,180 feet.
Ward four, . .	15,695 feet.
Ward five, . .	22,550 feet.
Ward six, . .	22,675 feet.
Total,	126,085 ft. or 23.88 miles.

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Location of Public Buildings.

City Hall, 345 Main street.
City Stables, Harwood place.
Almshouse, Wanoosnoc Road, off Water street.
County Jail, 419–425 Water street.
Court House, Elm, Church and Hartwell streets.
Burbank Hospital, off Nichols street.
Public Library, Main street, corner Newton Place.
Armory, Church street.
Police Station No. 1, Elm street, near Prichard.
Police Station No. 2, Cleghorn, corner Kimball st.
Police Station No. 3, 106 Westminster street, W. F.
Central Fire Station, 30–36 Oliver street.
Fire Station No. 2, 110 Westminster street, W. F.
Fire Station No. 3, Factory Square, near Fitchburg Hotel.
Fire Station No. 4, Summer street, near junction Main and Summer streets.
Fire Station No. 5, Water street, corner Boyle Court.
Fire Station No. 6, Fairmount street, corner Oak Hill Road.
Water Department Office and Repair Shop, 104 River Street.
Fitchburg State Normal School, Pearl street, opp. Myrtle avenue.
Edgerly School, North street extension.

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Highland Avenue Model School, Highland ave., cor. Concord st.

Day Street Normal Training School, Day, Union and Snow streets.

New High School Building, Academy, Davis and Pleasant streets.

Old High School Building, (Manual Training,) Davis, Academy and High streets.

High Street Grammar School, High street, cor. Pleasant.

West Fitchburg Grammar School, Ashburnham street, W. F.

Goodrich Street Grammar School, Goodrich street.

Laurel Street Grammar School, Laurel street, cor. Charles.

Clarendon Street Grammar School, Clarendon street, cor. Plymouth.

Salem Street School, cor. of Salem, Providence and Bekman streets.

South Street School, South street, cor. Nashua.

School Street School, cor. School and Main streets.

South Fitchburg, Water st., cor. Wanoosnoc Road.

Middle Street School, Middle street, cor. Fifth.

Wachusett School, Wachusett street.

East Street School, East, Lunenburg and Townsend streets.

Maverick Street School, Maverick, cor. Boylston st.

Rollstone Street School, Rollstone, Charles and Laurel streets.

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Telephone Connections.

320–3	Mayor.
*119–3	Almshouse.
236–5	Assessors' Office.
**315–2	Chief of Police Office, Station No. 1.
*310	Clerk Police Court.
423–4	City Stables.
*315–4	Police Station No. 2.
*315–3	Police Station No. 3.
**320–2	City Clerk, Office.
425–3	City Clerk, Residence.
57–2	City Solicitor.
227–4	City Physician.
**150	City Treasurer.
332–4	City Treasurer, Residence.
*325–3	Superintendent of Water Works, Office.
*345–4	Superintendent of Water Works, Res.
235–2	Water Registrar.
235–12	City Engineer.
108–2	City Engineer, Residence.
235–4	Overseers of the Poor.
236–12	Board of Health.
157–12	Register of Deeds.
*319–4	Superintendent of Schools, Office.
*332–2	Superintendent of Schools, Res.
332–3	Superintendent of Streets, Res.
202–2	Superintendent of Public Buildings.
235–3	Tax Collector.

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316–3 Chief Engineer Fire Department, Res.
*322-2 Central Fire Station.
344–3 Oak Hill Fire Station.
344–4 West Fitchburg Fire Station.
344–2 Hose 3, Factory Square.
316–2 Hose 4, Water street.
316–5 Summer street Fire Station.
**303 Burbank Hospital.
**321–4 State Normal School.
321–2 J. G. Thompson's Residence.
405–3 Principal's Office, Day Street School.
240 State Armory.

**Long Distance.

FITCHBURG.

A town, February 3d, 1764.
A city, March 8th, 1872.
Area, including land and water, 27.7 square miles.
Extreme length of city, 6.5 miles.
Extreme width of city, 4 7-8 miles.
Population Census of 1890, 22,037.
Population Census of 1895, 26,409.
Population Census of 1900, 31,531.
Assessed Polls, May 1st, 1901, 8,747.
Registered Voters, December, 1901:
Males, 5,186; Females, 1,274.
Number of Dwellings, May 1st, 1901, 3,745.
Number of acres of land assessed, 16,106.
Assessed valuation, May 1st, 1901, $24,033,489.00.
Tax levy of 1901, $478,830.99.

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Rate of Taxation for 1901, per thousand, $19.20.
Next State Election, Tuesday, November 4th, 1902.
Next Municipal Election, Tuesday, December 2nd, 1902.
Next Organization of City Council, Monday, Jan. 5th, 1903.
Miles of Public Streets, December 1st, 1901, 130.08.
Miles of Pipe Sewers, December 1st, 1901, 26.94.
Miles of Brick Sewers, December 1st, 1901, 4.37.
Miles of Streets, Block paved, 3.14.
Miles of Streets, Cobble paved, .48.
Miles of Macadam, including State Roads, 6.43.
Miles of Earth Roads, 118.12.
Miles of Water Pipes, Dec. 1st, 1901:

Iron pipe, high service, . . .	34.72
Iron pipe, low service, . . .	30.99
Total length of Cement Mains, high and low service, 9,738 ft.,	1.84
Total,	67.55

Length of Service Pipe, Dec. 1st, 1901, 49.43 miles.
Water Pipe connections, Dec. 1st, 1901, 4,536.
302 arc electric street lights.
130 mast arms.
19 gas street lights.
30 gasoline street lights.
Fire hydrants in use, 512.
Tracks at Fitchburg Railroad Station are 434 feet above sea level.

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Population of Fitchburg.

1765,	259	1860,	7,854
1791,	1,151	1865,	8,119
1800,	1,390	1870,	11,260
1810,	1,566	1875,	12,289
1820,	1,736	1880,	12,405
1830,	2,179	1885,	15,875
1840,	2,570	1890,	22,037
1850,	5,120	1895,	26,409
1855,	6,486	1900,	31,531

Vital Statistics.

	No. of Marriages recorded,	No. of Births recorded,	No. of Deaths recorded,
1894	289	830	419
1895	317	930	472
1896	330	934	522
1897	308	988	515
1898	347	962	493
1899	338	941	525
1900	360	1063	596
1901	338	1035	577

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Mayors of the City of Fitchburg.

Amasa Norcross, 1873, '74.	Died Apr. 2, 1898.
Eugene T. Miles, 1875.	Died June 26, 1876.
Hiram A. Blood, 1876.	Died July 5, 1895.
David H. Merriam, 1877, '78.	Died Oct. 11, 1888.
William H. Vose, 1879.	Died Oct. 27, 1884.
Eli Culley, 1880, '81, '88, '89.	Died April 21, 1890.
George Robbins, 1882.	Died June 22, 1892.
Alonzo Davis, 1883, '84, '85.	Died May 23, 1888.
Frederick Fosdick, 1886, '87.	
Charles S. Hayden, 1890.	
Samuel L. Graves, 1891, '92.	
Arthur H. Lowe, 1893.	
Edgar S. Moulton, 1894, '95.	
Henry F. Rockwell, 1896, '97, '98.	
Samuel Anderson, 1899, 1900.	
Charles A. Babbitt, 1901, '02.	

November 2nd, 1875, H. A. Blood was elected Mayor by the City Council, to fill vacancy caused by the temporary absence of Eugene T. Miles.

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CITY OF FITCHBURG.

Assessors' Statistics, 1901.

Number of Individual Residents Assessed on Property,	4,098
Number of Non-Resident Individuals,	382
Number of Non-Resident Firms, Corporations, Trustees, etc.,	51
Number of Persons assessed for Poll Tax, only,	6,287
Number of Polls Assessed in 1901,	8,694
Number of Horses Assessed,	1,520
Number of Cows Assessed,	612
Number of Neat Cattle, other than Cows, assessed,	120
Number of Swine Assessed,	26
Number of Dwelling Houses Assessed,	3,745
Number of acres of land Assessed,	16,106
Value of Personal Estate Assessed, including Resident National Bank Stock, to Dec. 1, 1901,	$4,977,239.00
Value of Real Estate Assessed to Dec. 1, 1901,	$19,056,250.00
Total Value of Assessed Estate, Dec. 1, 1901, with all abated property deducted,	$24,033,489.00

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Rate of Taxation per thousand, for 1901,	$19.20
Levy on Assessed Estate for 1901, abatements deducted, . .	$478,830.99
Tax on Polls for 1901, . . .	$17,388.00
Street Railway Excise Tax, Chap. 578, Sec. 7, Acts of 1898, . .	$2,829.48
Street Railway Corporation Tax, .	$4,302.32

Grade Crossing.

Expended since commenced,	$56,360.26	
		$56,360.26
Collected from F. & L. St. R'y Co.,	7,500.00	
Collected from F. & Sub. R'y Co.,	5,000.00	
Received from other sources,	146.24	
	$12,646.24	

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ASSESSORS' APPRAISAL OF CITY PROPERTY, DECEMBER 1, 1901.

Value of Personal Estate,	$244,586.04
Value of Real Estate,	2,607,994.50
Total Value Personal and Real Estate,	$2,852,580.54

PROPERTY EXEMPT FROM TAXATION.

	Real.	Personal.	Total.
Literary Inst'ns,	$183,600.00	$3,150.00	$186,750.00
Benev. Inst'ns,	99,750.00	33,356.97	133,106.97
Churches,	608,550.00	51,800.00	660,350.00
Court House and Land,	200,000.00		200,000.00
House of Correction and Land,	170,000.00		170,000.00
			$1,350,206.97

VALUATION.

May 1, 1899,	$23,110,251
May 1, 1900,	23,439,892
May 1, 1901,	24,060,739
Average for three years,	$23,536,960.
Number of polls, Dec. 1, 1899,	8,542
Number of polls, Dec. 1, 1900,	8,748
Number of polls, Dec. 1, 1901,	8,747

Rate of taxation, 1901, $19.20 per $1,000.

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PROPERTY OWNED BY THE CITY, AS APPRAISED BY THE ASSESSORS, DECEMBER 1, 1901.

	Personal.	Real.	Total.
Armory,	$575.00	$51,200.00	$51,775.00
Burbank Hospital,	19,000.00	180,000.00	199,000.00
Cemetery, lots and tools,	125.00	10,222.00	10,347.00
Charles st., lot of 5,600 ft.,		150.00	150.00
City Farm, 89 acres, 11,295 ft.,	5,980.46	39,500.00	45,480.46
City Hall property,	10,219.08	60,000.00	70,219.08
Clocks and bells,	1,000.00		1,000.00
Fire Department, including alarm,	52,472.35	91,905.00	144,377.35
Highway Department,	13,554.41	14,500.00	18,054.41
Lots Walton st. to Rollstone st.,		4,000.00	4,000.00
Lot Mechanic st., 24,646 ft.,		1,000.00	1,000.00
Messenger & Hale Spring lot,		25.00	25.00
Middle st. lot, 2,990 ft., Mary Moran,		650.00	650.00
Nutting st., lot, No. 36 M. & K. plan, 6,000 ft.,		100.00	100.00
Public Park System,	125.00	128,150.00	128,275.00

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Police Department,	2,463.30	43,000.00	45,463.30
Raymond Farm, Ashby West Rd, 16 acres,		325.00	325.00
Raymond lot, Ashby West Road, 8 acres,		150.00	150.00
Rollstone and Mt. Elam Road lot, 33 acres,		1,650.00	1,650.00
School Department,	30,341.70	594,730.00	625,071.70
Sewerage System,			236,500.00
Street Lighting,	445.00		445.00
Taylor Farm and Isolation Hospital,	25.00	2,400.00	2,425.00
Trust Fund, 13 shares F. R. R. Pref.,	1,885.00		1,885.00
Wallace Free Public Library and Art Rooms,	51,667.75	94,400.00	146,067.75
Wanoosnoc Hill lot, 60 acres,		1,000.00	1,000.00
Water Works System,	54,706.99	1,046,837.00	1,101,543.99
Whitcomb, Maria R., gift, 8,150 ft.,		5,000.00	5,000.00
Total appraisal, 1900,	$325,719.82	$2,536,712.00	
Total appraisal, 1901,	244,586.04	2,607,994.50	
Loss in personal estate,	$81,133.78		
Gain in real estate,		$71,282.50	

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TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF POLLS, REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE OF THE CITY.

YEAR.	POLLS.	REAL ESTATE.	PERSONAL ESTATE.	TOTAL.
1890	6,526	$11,885,080	$3,591,126	$15,476,206
1891	6,885	12,443,741	3,817,376	16,261,117
1892	7,471	12,971,915	4,093,630	17,065,545
1893	7,985	13,855,603	4,419,556	18,275,159
1894	7,453	14,262,595	4,200,521	18,463,116
1895	7,719	15,328,719	4,526,755	19,855,474
1896	8,389	16,220,397	4,553,462	20,773,859
1897	8,373	16,603,260	4,652,016	21,255,276
1898	8,444	17,781,453	4,653,638	22,435,091
1899	8,497	18,127,160	4,983,091	23,110,251
1900	8,748	18,430,275	5,009,617	23,439,892
1901	8,747	19,056,250	4,977,239	24,033,489

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TABLE SHOWING TAX RATE; APPROPRIATIONS TO PAY STATE, COUNTY, ARMORY TAX; LOANS AND SINKING FUNDS; APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS AND RECEIPTS; EXPENDITURES, AND DWELLINGS.

YEAR.	TAX RATE.	Appropriation to pay State, County, Armory Tax, Loans and Sinking Funds.	Appropriation Accounts and Receipts.	EXPENDITURES.	DWELLINGS.
1890	16.40	$34,660.00	$348,159.41	$345,842.61	3,224
1891	16.20	38,402.18	500,188.90	473,260.21	3,392
1892	16.40	45,883.10	743,463.81	678,694.41	3,412
1893	18.00	56,159.29	725,644.77	639,276.55	3,500
1894	18.10	57,289.38	626,571.25	625,477.18	3,577
1895	18.10	72,343.10	627,868.38	625,816.17	3,645
1896	19.20	88,745.11	452,715.82	448,535.60	3,717
1897	19.20	82,855.10	529,411.28	525,534.98	3,843
1898	18.60	88,100.10	460,315.54	457,440.82	3,909
1899	18.00	111,926.10	512,030.04	506,283.37	3,975
1900	18.00	112,662.10	530,045.45	511,753.37	3,715
1901	19.20	119,578.10	607,509.16	601,979.22	3,745

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City Officers when Elected or Appointed.

IN JANUARY.

Elected by City Council in Convention.

City Clerk. In 1902, for three years, under provisions of Sec. 15, Chap. 26, Revised Laws.

City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes, under provisions of Sec. 14, City Charter; at first meeting.

One Water Commissioner for three years, under provisions of Section 16, City Charter; one Street Commissioner for three years, Chap. 132, Sec. 1, Acts of 1899; one member of the Board of Overseers of the Poor for three years, Sec. 18, City Charter; one Trustee of Public Burial Grounds for three years, Chap. 97, Acts of 1886; City Physician for one year, Sec. 14, City Charter.

Elected by Concurrent Vote of the City Council.

City Auditor, Sec. 14, City Charter; City Solicitor, Sec. 14, City Charter.

Appointed by Mayor Subject to the Confirmation of Board of Aldermen.

Chief of Police and Police Force, Sec. 12, City Charter.

Special Policemen (without pay) and Constables, Sec. 12, City Charter; Trustees of Public

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Library, Public Weighers of all kinds, Sec. 12, City Charter and Sec. 83, Chap. 57, Revised Laws; Inspector of Petroleum, Sec. 109, Chap. 102, Revised Laws; Inspector of Milk, Sec. 51, Chap. 56, Revised Laws, Chap. 31, Rev. Ord. (in Jan.) and Vinegar, Sec. 69, Chap. 57 Revised Laws; Superintendent of Public Buildings, Sec. 1, Chap. 17, Rev. Ord.; Inspector of Wires and Superintendent of Fire Alarm Telegraph, Sec. 18, Chap. 122, Revised Laws; Sec. 1, Chap. 16, Rev. Ord.; Janitor of City Hall; Keeper of Lockups, Sec. 40, Chap. 26, Revised Laws; City Forester, Sec. 1, Chap. 25, Rev. Ord.; Standing Committee for the current year. Joint Rules and Orders; Agent of the Board of Aldermen to furnish relief to U. S. Sailors and Soldiers, Sec. 19, Chap. 79, Revised Laws, and a suitable person to bury the body of any honorably discharged Soldier or Sailor, Sec. 20, Chap. 79, Revised Laws.

One member of the Board of Health for three years, Sec. 9, Chap. 75, Revised Laws, affecting Chap. 30, Rev. Ord.

Elected by Board of Aldermen.

President of the Board of Aldermen, Rules and Orders Board of Aldermen.

Elected by Concurrent Vote of the City Council.

One Assessor of Taxes for three years, and Six (6) Assistant Assessors for one year, one from each ward, as soon as convenient after organization, under provisions of Sec. 19 and 20 of City Charter.

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IN FEBRUARY.

Elected by Concurrent Vote of the City Council.

City Engineer first Tuesday, for one year from first Monday in April, Chap. 11, Rev. Ord.

IN MARCH.

Appointed by Mayor and Aldermen.

Inspector of Animals annually, pursuant to Sec. 12, Chap. 90, Revised Laws.

Sealer of Weights and Measures, Sec. 18, Chap. 62, Revised Laws; Measurers of Wood and Bark, Sec. 75, Chap. 57, Revised Laws; Surveyors of Lumber, Sec. 6, Chap. 60, Revised Laws; Field Driver, Fence Viewers, Pound Keeper, Sec. 334, Chap. 11, Revised Laws.

IN APRIL.

One Registrar of Voters for three years from first day of May, Sec. 25, Chap. 11, Revised Laws.

Board of Examiners of Plumbers, under provisions of Sec. 3, Chap. 103, Revised Laws.

Appointed by Mayor, subject to confirmation or rejection by the *City Council*, annually, on or before the first Monday in May, one member of Board of Public Park Commissioners for five years, Chap. 28, Revised Laws.

IN SEPTEMBER.

Appointed by Mayor and Aldermen.

Election Officers for one year from the first day of November, Sec. 171, Chap. 11, Revised Laws.

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IN NOVEMBER.

Elected by City Council in Convention.

Chief Engineer and three Assistant Engineers of the Fire Department, Chap. 15, Sec. 2 and 3, Rev. Ord., amended by Ord. Dec. 1896.

NOTES.

The Common Council elect a President and Clerk at the First meeting in January.

The Street Commissioners elect a Chairman and a Superintendent of Streets in January.

The Water Commissioners elect a Superintendent and other officers in January.

The Overseers of the Poor elect a clerk early in the year, also Superintendent and Matron at Almshouse, Sec. 3, Chap. 30, Revised Laws.

Board of License Commissioners, Sec. 3, Chap. 100, Revised Laws.

Civil Service Examiners, Sec. 4, Chap. 19, Revised Laws.

Burbank Hospital Trustees, Chap. 442, Acts of 1890.

City Forester, appointed in January, Rev. Ord., Chap. 25, Sec. 1.

The Board of Health elect a Chairman, Clerk, Agent and Inspector in February, and an Inspector of Meats and Provisions, in March, Sec. 17, Chap. 408, Acts of 1899. In accordance with the provisions of Sec. 44, Chap. 78, Revised Laws, appoint the Undertakers on or before the first day of May in each year.

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The School Committee elect a Superintendent, Secretary, Teachers, and Truant Officers, first Monday in June.

The Assessors organize by electing Chairman and Clerk early in the year.

The Trustees of Public Burial Grounds elect Chairman and Clerk in January.

Clerk of Committees, Sec. 39, Rules and Orders Common Council.

Allowance of Accounts.

All bills against the City must be certified as correct by the several officers or committees contracting the same, and delivered to the proper officer or department, on or before the fifth day of the month. Separate bills should be made for each account or department.

Bills when approved and allowed are payable on the twentieth day of the month at the City Treasurer's office, Wachusett National Bank.

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Detailed Vote at State Election, November 12, 1901.

GOVERNOR.							
Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
Michael T. Berry, S. L.,	42	76	28	16	26	36	224
W. Murray Crane, Rep.,	225	239	324	384	320	272	1,764
John B. Lewis, Pro.,	7	6	14	11	5	3	46
Josiah Quincy, Dem.,	228	175	108	68	84	187	850
George H. Wrenn, Dem. Soc.,	50	49	16	21	36	56	228
Blanks,	22	21	19	8	7	22	99
LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.							
John L. Bates, Rep.,	209	227	305	382	312	257	1,692
John W. Coughlin, Dem.,	248	171	125	65	85	185	879
Alfred E. Jones, S. L.,	37	64	25	17	21	39	203
William H. Partridge, Pro.	6	19	5	13	7	4	54
Charles W. White, Dem. Soc.,	43	38	22	22	38	58	221
Blanks,	31	47	27	9	15	33	162

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SECRETARY. Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
Frederick W. Clark, Pro.,	6	10	8	21	11	5	61
Alonzo H. Dennett, Dem. Soc.,	55	55	16	25	37	57	245
Jeremiah O'Fihelly, S. L.,	62	79	33	21	20	38	253
William M. Olin, Rep.,	199	220	299	371	303	259	1,651
Willmore B. Stone, Dem.,	211	160	117	58	80	164	790
Blanks,	41	42	36	12	27	53	211
TREASURER AND RECEIVER-GENERAL.							
George E. Batchelder, Pro.,	24	7	7	18	13	6	75
Wendell P. Bosworth, Dem. S.,	48	54	15	24	38	57	236
Edward S. Bradford, Rep.,	184	212	291	368	292	242	1,589
Joseph L. Chalifoux, Dem.,	220	167	123	55	74	181	820
Frederick A. Nagler, S. L.,	54	70	28	21	22	45	240
Blanks,	44	56	45	22	39	45	251
AUDITOR.							
James F. Dean, Dem.,	225	167	122	62	87	170	833
Frank Keefe, S. L.,	54	75	32	20	19	45	245
John H. Smith, Pro.,	8	13	14	26	13	5	79
Frank Thompson, Dem. Soc.,	43	48	15	23	36	54	219
Henry E. Turner,	202	211	279	348	283	243	1,566
Blanks,	42	52	47	29	40	59	269

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ATTORNEY GENERAL.							
Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
Allen Coffin, Pro.,	5	8	8	15	9	6	51
John T. Hargraves, S. L.,	44	73	28	17	17	47	226
Herbert Parker, Rep.,	224	230	300	382	308	251	1,695
Arthur A. Putnam, Dem.,	220	160	113	58	78	169	798
Clarence E. Spelman, Dem. S.,	41	67	14	22	36	52	232
Blanks,	40	48	46	14	30	51	229
COUNCILLOR.							
Charles M. Day, Dem.,	217	172	123	63	81	155	811
Lucius Field, Rep.,	207	234	300	384	294	259	1,678
John J. Kelly, Dem. Soc.,	88	75	33	29	54	84	363
Blanks,	62	85	53	32	49	78	359
SENATOR.							
Edward F. Blodgett, Rep.,	207	230	291	379	304	253	1,664
Daniel B. Phelan, Dem.,	270	208	139	69	91	193	970
Edwin R. Stuart, Dem. Soc.,	58	82	28	33	52	76	329
Blanks,	39	46	51	27	31	54	248

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TOTAL VOTE FOR REPRESENTATIVE IN GENERAL COURT,
Twelfth Worcester Representative District.

	Marcus A. Coolidge,	William N. Felton,	Blanks.
Bolton,	18	81	10
Ward 6 Fitchburg,	380	165	31
Harvard,	49	81	6
Lancaster,	41	144	14
Lunenburg,	25	67	12
Totals,	513	538	73

FOR REPRESENTATIVES IN GENERAL COURT,
Thirteenth Worcester Representative District.

Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	Total.
Andrew Davidson, Dem. Soc.,	52	109	41	38	69	309
Henry G. Greene, Rep.,	158	180	254	311	237	1,140
James McGee, Dem.,	302	222	170	82	115	891
M. Fred O'Connell, Dem.,	302	225	153	128	134	942
James Pearce, Rep.,	147	174	218	279	197	1,015
Henry L. Rice, Dem. Soc.,	63	111	51	65	79	369
Blanks,	124	111	131	113	125	604

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COUNTY COMMISSIONER.							
Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
George W. Cook, Rep.,	222	260	307	398	315	281	1,783
James C. Luby, Dem.,	281	214	138	65	102	213	1,013
Blanks,	71	92	64	45	61	82	415
ASSOCIATE COMMISSIONERS.							
William A. Bell, Dem.,	232	201	119	56	97	170	875
S. Augustus Howe, Rep.,	209	249	278	368	288	230	1,622
Howard M. Lane, Rep.,	192	228	272	352	274	228	1,546
Charles H. Writer, Dem.,	236	197	128	56	94	191	902
Blanks,	279	257	221	184	203	333	1,477
DISTRICT ATTORNEY.							
Rockwood Hoar, Rep.,	224	264	310	388	321	282	1,789
James E. McConnell, Dem.,	294	238	162	83	114	228	1,119
Blanks,	56	64	37	37	43	66	303

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CLERK OF COURTS.							
Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
Thomas L. Brown, Dem.,	287	221	146	68	113	223	1,058
Theodore S. Johnson, Rep.,	220	257	310	396	305	273	1,761
Blanks,	67	88	53	44	60	80	392
SHERIFF.							
Robert H. Chamberlain, Rep.,	223	264	303	403	314	277	1,784
Charles P. Hurley, Dem.,	301	229	156	72	125	227	1,110
Blanks,	50	73	50	33	39	72	317

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NUMBER OF NAMES CHECKED ON VOTING LISTS.

Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
	574	566	509	508	478	576	3,211

STATE ELECTION, NOVEMBER 5, 1901.

	Assessed Polls.	Registered Voters.
Ward 1, . . .	1,374	859
Ward 2, . . .	2,223	918
Ward 3, . . .	1,393	739
Ward 4, . . .	1,133	773
Ward 5, . . .	1,140	807
Ward 6, . . .	1,448	916
	8,711	5,012

TIME OF RECEIVING ELECTION RETURNS.

Ward 5, . . .	5.00 o'clock P. M.
Ward 3, . . .	6.25 o'clock P. M.
Ward 2, . . .	7.17 o'clock P. M.
Ward 4, . . .	7.18 o'clock P. M.
Ward 6, . . .	7.20 o'clock P. M.
Ward 1, . . .	7.55 o'clock P. M.

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POLITICAL.

Fitchburg is in the Fourth Congressional District, Charles Q. Tirrell of Natick, Congressman; the Seventh Councillor District, Lucius Field of Clinton, Councillor; and in the Third Worcester Senatorial District, Edward F. Blodgett of Leominster, Senator.

Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 are in the Thirteenth Worcester Representative District, *Henry G. Greene and James Pearce, both of Fitchburg, Representatives; and Ward 6 is in the Twelfth Worcester Representative District, William N. Felton of Bolton, Mass., Representative. County Commissioners for Worcester County, Emerson Stone of Spencer; George W. Cook of Barre, and Henry G. Taft of Uxbridge. Special Commissioners, S. Augustus Howe of Gardner, Howard M. Lane of Leominster. Register of Deeds, Worcester Northern Dist., David H. Merriam of Fitchburg; for Worcester District, Daniel Kent of Worcester. County Treasurer, Edward A. Brown of Worcester. District Attorney, Middle District, Rockwood Hoar of Worcester; Assistant, George S. Taft of Uxbridge. Register of Probate and Insolvency, George H. Harlow of Worcester. Sheriff, Robert H. Chamberlain of Worcester. Judge of Probate and Insolvency, William T. Forbes of Westborough.

Next State Election, Tuesday, Nov. 4, 1902.

Next Municipal Election, Tuesday, Dec. 2, 1902.

*Deceased.

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Detailed Vote at Municipal Election, December 3, 1901.

FOR MAYOR.

Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Totals.
Charles A. Babbitt,	211	393	266	216	212	230	1,528
Hubert C. Bartlett,	26	40	21	22	37	36	182
James H. McMahon,	337	227	150	100	161	308	1,283
Frederick F. Woodward,	174	139	214	325	255	210	1,317
Erastus E. Walker,	5	7	5	6	7	13	43
George D. Whittemore,	1						1
William F. Taylor,				1			1
Blanks,	9	2	9	6	5	13	44
Whole number of ballots cast for Mayor,							4,399

FOR ALDERMEN.

WARD ONE.

Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Totals.
John Heagney,	374	303	222	120	159	284	1,462
George H. Johnson,	235	227	278	419	345	289	1,793
John C. Smith,	106	157	73	70	83	132	621
Blanks,	48	121	92	67	90	105	523

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WARD TWO. Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Totals.
John Lovell Johnson,	350	385	375	507	410	403	2,430
John J. Jennings,	1			1		3	5
George F. Blake,	1						1
Michael O. Picard,	1						1
William B. Hay,	1						1
Arvid Eliason,				2			2
Gustaf Wuth,				1			1
J. J. Jennings,					1		1
Harry Eliason,					1		1
James J. Johnson,					1		1
John Wiley,					1		1
Patrick Cahill,						1	1
Frank Allen,						1	1
Blanks,	409	423	290	165	263	402	1,952
WARD THREE.							
George S. Cogswell,	244	227	340	337	256	248	1,652
Andrew Davidson,	81	172	61	47	84	107	552
George H. Priest,	315	292	210	223	233	312	1,585
Blanks,	123	117	54	69	104	143	610

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WARD FOUR. Wards,	1	2	3	4	5	6	Totals.
Henry A. Estabrook,	215	255	373	358	293	294	1,688
Augustus Wellington,	385	366	245	263	249	334	1,842
George W. Holman,				1			1
F. M. Peabody,					1		1
Blanks,	163	187	147	54	134	182	867
WARD FIVE.							
Martin Roddy,	189	180	90	49	91	165	764
Henry O. Sawyer,	203	221	274	379	359	287	1,723
Nathaniel Varney,	258	272	184	186	183	216	1,299
Blanks,	113	135	117	62	44	142	613
WARD SIX.							
John Hardy,	129	161	188	206	172	201	1,057
Charles B. Smith,	306	277	207	229	189	319	1,527
Guy Woods,	201	215	149	175	213	206	1,159
George B. Woodward,					1		1
Blanks,	127	155	121	66	102	84	655

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COUNCILMEN.

WARD ONE.

Albert Bond,	115
Peter Donahue,	203
Frank P. Green,	198
Henry A. Greenwood,	287
William T. Herlihy,	316
Edward P. O'Connor,	342
Henry E. Rodimon,	170
Charles A. Sherwin,	204
James Smythe,	86
Blanks,	368

WARD TWO.

August Beck,	274
Louis N. M. DesChenes,	287
James H. Higginbotham,	258
Charles T. McMurray,	295
George B. Simonds,	234
George B. Thompson,	178
Robert F. Wilson,	343
Blanks,	555

WARD THREE.

Charles W. Baldwin,	375
Frederick Gay,	126
John McMahon,	121
Frederic C. Nichols,	396
Matthew Tait,	417
Blanks,	560

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WARD FOUR.

William H. Bennett,	318
Gardner K. Hudson,	337
John Leiper,	341
Henry C. Patch,	220
John C. Sanborn,	64
Samuel W. Sawyer,	219
Charles L. Tenney,	109
Eustace B. Whitney,	57
Blanks,	363

WARD FIVE.

Joseph Q. Abbott,	336
Charles W. Burnell,	284
Albert E. Culley,	260
H. Mertoun Downs,	208
Byron R. French,	77
Alfred Kavanaugh,	53
Charles A. Lemay,	66
Clarence M. Pratt,	213
Arthur L. Remington,	224
Robert Morris,	1
Blanks,	309

WARD SIX.

James Barr,	358
William H. Brazier, Jr.,	121
Napoleon J. Cadorette,	295
Michael F. Downs,	251
Charles P. Goodrich,	245
Bernard Hennessey,	168
Thomas Lanney,	75
George W. Lord,	263
William W. Newcomb,	197
Blanks,	457

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SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

WARD ONE. FOR THREE YEARS.

	Men's Vote.	Women's Vote.	Total Vote.
Calvin T. Bamford,	99	12	111
A. Horace LaRue,	171	11	182
John R. Smith,	414	24	438
Blanks,	79	1	80

WARD ONE. FOR ONE YEAR TO FILL VACANCY.

James F. Denihan,	141	23	164
Peter F. Ward,	444	11	455
Blanks,	178	14	192

WARD TWO. FOR THREE YEARS.

A. Frederic Dunnels,	256	30	286
Camille Gariepy,	298	6	304
William H. Martin,	147	1	148
Blanks,	107	0	107

WARD THREE. FOR THREE YEARS.

John H. Daniels,	501	9	510
Blanks,	164	0	164

WARD THREE. FOR TWO YEARS TO FILL VACANCY.

Frederick W. Martini,	229	3	232
Boardman Parkhurst,	271	5	276
Blanks,	165	1	166

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WARD FOUR. FOR THREE YEARS.

	Men's Vote.	Women's Vote.	Total Vote.
Jabez Fisher,	132	3	135
James DeWolf Perry, Jr.,	465	6	471
Blanks,	79	0	79

WARD FIVE. FOR THREE YEARS.

Abram Conklin,	465	22	487
Clement H. C. Gibson,	100		100
Daniel Moran,	1		1
Blanks,	111	2	113

WARD FIVE. FOR ONE YEAR TO FILL VACANCY.

J. Milton Hubbard,	398	22	420
John F. McGrath,	182	1	183
R. D. Terry,	1		1
Blanks,	96	1	97

WARD SIX. FOR THREE YEARS.

Daniel F. Sullivan,	380	57	437
Lincoln R. Welch,	331	49	380
Blanks,	99	1	100

SHALL LICENSES BE GRANTED FOR THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS IN THIS CITY?

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
Yes	418	477	281	230	298	440	2,144
No	298	300	357	422	356	331	2,064
Blanks,	47	31	27	24	23	39	191

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SHALL CHAPTER 332 OF THE ACTS OF 1901, BEING AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE TERMS OF OFFICE OF CITY CLERKS BE ACCEPTED?

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
Yes	303	349	296	332	324	352	1,956
No	267	256	150	150	152	222	1,197
Blanks,	193	203	219	194	201	236	1,246

NUMBER OF NAMES CHECKED ON THE VOTING LISTS.

Wards	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
Male	763	808	665	676	677	810	4,399
Female	48	37	9	9	24	107	234

MUNICIPAL ELECTION, DECEMBER 3, 1901.

	Assessed Polls.	Registered Voters. Male.	Female.
Ward 1,	1,382	901	303
Ward 2,	2,231	950	195
Ward 3,	1,396	767	167
Ward 4,	1,143	799	127
Ward 5,	1,143	823	194
Ward 6,	1,452	946	288
Total,	8,747	5,186	1,274

TIME OF RECEIVING ELECTION RETURNS.

Ward 3, . . .	6.00 o'clock P. M.
Ward 4, . . .	6.14 o'clock P. M.
Ward 5, . . .	6.38 o'clock P. M.
Ward 2, . . .	7.09 o'clock P. M.
Ward 6, . . .	8.07 o'clock P. M.
Ward 1, . . .	8.30 o'clock P. M.

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Time for Filing Certificates of Nomination and Nomination Papers.

FOR STATE ELECTION, NOV. 4, 1902.

Certificates of Nomination for State Officers, to be voted for at large, before 5 o'clock P. M. on Monday, October 6, 1902.

Nomination Papers for same before 5 o'clock P. M. on Monday, October 13.

Certificates of Nomination for other State Officers, before 5 o'clock P. M. on Thursday, October 16.

Nomination Papers for same before 5 o'clock P. M. on Friday, October 17.

Registration closes October 15.

FOR CITY ELECTION, DEC. 2, 1902.

Certificates of Nomination for City Officers, before 5 o'clock P. M. on Monday, November 17.

Nomination Papers for same before 5 o'clock P. M. on Wednesday, November 19.

Registration closes November 13th.

Organization of City Government first Monday in January, annually.

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Republican City Committee, 1902.

ALBERT H. BURGESS, *Chairman.*

Sewell G. Cushing, *Secretary.*

Edwin J. Tilton, *Treasurer.*

WARD ONE.

George H. Johnson,
Fred M. Peckham,
Horatio G. Smith.

WARD TWO.

Henry J. Lacey,
Dwight S. Woodworth,
Moses Hoyt.

WARD THREE.

Henry W. Pierson,
David Lowe,
Matthew Tait.

WARD FOUR.

Edwin J. Tilton,
John Wiley,
George R. Peabody.

WARD FIVE.

Albert H. Burgess,
William G. Hidden,
John D. Littlehale.

WARD SIX.

Sewell G. Cushing,
Henry E. Cowdrey,
Willis B. Chandler.

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Democratic City Committee, 1902.

DANIEL B. PHELAN, *Chairman.*

PATRICK F. GLEASON, *Vice-Chairman.*

Edward P. O'Connor, *Secretary.*

Marcus A. Coolidge, *Treasurer.*

WARD ONE.

Frederick Ryan,
John M. Donlon,
Edward P. O'Connor.

WARD TWO.

John P. McHugh,
Michael H. Kittredge,
Daniel B. Phelan.

WARD THREE.

Vacant.

WARD FOUR.

Patrick F. Gleason,
M. Fred O'Connell,
James E. McConnell.

WARD FIVE.

Marcus A. Coolidge,
Horace M. Kendall,
Thomas H. Shea.

WARD SIX.

Charles J. Gillen,
Edward Mercier,
Michael Morrilly.

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Socialist City Committee, 1902.

ANDREW DAVIDSON, *Chairman.*

Eustace B. Whitney, *Secretary.*

Henry T. Estabrook, *Treasurer.*

WARD ONE.

Henry L. Rice,
Albert W. Bond,
John H. Sullivan.

WARD TWO.

George B. Thompson,
Peter A. Lemay,
John Weidlich.

WARD THREE.

George A. Newell,
Andrew Davidson,
John McMahon.

WARD FOUR.

Henry T. Estabrook,
Eustace B. Whitney,
Frank M. Peabody.

WARD FIVE.

Martin Roddy,
Charles A. Lemay,
Arthur P. Kavanaugh.

WARD SIX.

Thomas Laney,
Martin H. Gleason,
Bernard Hennessey.

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Citizens Temperance Committee, 1902.

GEORGE S. COGSWELL, *Chairman.*

Leonard C. King, *Secretary.*

Frank A. Rowley, *Treasurer.*

WARD ONE.

Leonard C. King,
Herbert G. Lowe,
Herbert N. Bugbee.

WARD FOUR.

James Ross,
Frank A. Rowley,
Wilbur W. Henry.

WARD TWO.

William K. Bailey,
James H. Higginbotham,
J. Warren White.

WARD FIVE.

Ezra Coleman,
Dr. Geo. T. Greenwood,
John H. Thompson.

WARD THREE.

George S. Cogswell,
Elijah P. Sheddon,
Willard A. Lowe.

WARD SIX.

Willis B. Chandler,
William W. Newcomb,
Perley R. Eaton.

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Independent Citizens Committee, 1902.

Chairman,——

Secretary,—— *Treasurer,*——

WARD ONE.

John M. Donlan,
Thomas F. Kennedy,
Robert Bean.

WARD FOUR.

Charles W. Jenna,
Charles E. Kirby,
Solomon Poland.

WARD TWO.

James Ryan,
Charles L. Wolff,
Edward B. O'Sullivan.

WARD FIVE.

James H. McMahon,
Alfred R. Chilton,
Henry Cassidy.

WARD THREE.

Thomas A. Monahan,
Ralph U. Boutelle,
Charles H. Vickery.

WARD SIX.

John R. Oldfield,
John Barnes,
James Devlin.

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RULES AND ORDERS IN REFERENCE TO THE LICENSING OF PUBLIC EXHIBITIONS AND AMUSEMENTS.

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1. All licensees shall notify the Mayor or Chief of Police at least two days before any performance of the nature of the entertainments.

2. No chairs, stools, or seats, of any description shall be placed across the aisles or passage-ways in the building.

3. No other officers shall be employed for the preservation of order in any licensed place of amusement, than members of the police force, or constables duly appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen.

4. The Mayor and Board of Aldermen reserve the right of entering all places of amusement at all times, either individually or collectively, for the purpose of assuring themselves by personal inspection that matters are conducted according to the tenor of the licenses issued by them, and the same privilege is to be accorded to the Chief of Police or his deputy.

5. Any infraction of the Statutes of the Commonwealth, or of the laws of decency, chastity and morality will be deemed a sufficient cause for the revocation of the license.

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CITY OF FITCHBURG.

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN, May 21, 1895.

Ordered: That the following schedule of fees for licenses for places of public amusements to which admission is obtained by the payment of money or any other valuable thing, be and the same hereby is adopted, viz:

1. For a license covering one performance or exhibition the fee shall be one dollar, except that in the case of exhibitions or performances in the city hall, the license fee shall be deemed to be included in the rent of the said hall.

2. For a license for exhibitions or amusements similar in character to those now carried on at the Gaiety Musee, two dollars per week.

3. For a license fee for travelling shows or circuses, where the price of admission is fifty cents or more, Fifty dollars.

4. For a license fee for travelling shows or circuses, where the price of admission is less than fifty cents, Twenty-five dollars.

5. All license fees shall be paid to the City Clerk in advance.

6. All licenses shall be granted by the City Clerk acting under the direction of the committee on licenses.

7. No license shall be granted for theatrical exhibitions or other entertainments of any kind,

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when required by statute, unless subject to this order, and failure to comply with this order shall render the license void.

FITCHBURG, May 21, 1895. *Order Adopted.*

Approved May 21, 1895.

A true copy.

WALTER A. DAVIS, *City Clerk.*

CITY OF FITCHBURG.

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN, NOV. 15, 1898.

Ordered: That Section 1 of the order providing for fees for licenses for places of public amusement be and hereby is amended so as to read as follows:

1. For a license covering one performance or exhibition the fee shall be one dollar, except that in the case of exhibitions or performances in the City Hall, the license fee shall be deemed to be included in the rent of the said Hall. Provided, however, that Opera Houses, or similar places of amusement may be licensed for one year for a fee of fifty dollars.

FITCHBURG, Nov. 15, 1898. *Order Adopted.*

Approved Nov. 19, 1898.

A true copy. Attest.

WALTER A. DAVIS, *City Clerk.*

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Joint Rules and Orders of the City Council.

SECTION 1. At the commencement of the municipal year, the following Joint Standing and Special Committees shall be chosen or appointed by their respective Boards:—

A Committee on Finance; to consist of the Mayor, one Alderman, the President and two members of the Common Council.

A Committee on Accounts; to consist of one Alderman and two members of the Common Council.

A Committee on Claims; to consist of two Aldermen and three members of the Common Council.

A Committee on Printing; to consist of the Mayor, the President and one member of the Common Council.

A Committee on Highways, Sidewalks, Bridges, Drains and Sewers, also Watering Streets, to consist of three members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and one member of the Common Council from each Ward.

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A Committee on Water; to consist of two Aldermen and three members of the Common Council.

A Committee on Fire Department; to consist of two Aldermen and three members of the Common Council.

A Committee on Fuel and Lighting Streets; to consist of one Alderman and two members of the Common Council.

A Committee on Military Affairs; to consist of one Alderman and two members of the Common Council.

A Committee on City Property; to consist of two Aldermen and three members of the Common Council.

A Committee on Salaries; to consist of two members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council.

A Committee on Education; to consist of two members of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and three members of the Common Council.

When it may be so ordered by the Board of Aldermen, the Mayor, and when it may be so ordered by the Common Council, the President of the Common Council, may be a member of either of the aforementioned committees.

SECT. 2. In all joint committees, except Committees on conference, the number of members from the Common Council shall be one, at least, greater than the number from the Board of Aldermen.

SECT. 3. The Mayor shall be, *ex officio*, chair-

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man of any joint committee of which he is a member; and, of other joint committees, the first-named member of the Board of Aldermen; and in his resignation or absence, or neglect for the space of ten days to call a meeting of the committee, the next named member of the same Board; and afterwards, the member of the Common Council first in order, shall call the meetings of the committee, and act as chairman. And whenever the chairman of any such committee shall fail to call a meeting of its members for the space of ten days from the time any subject has been referred to it, after having been requested so to do, any two of the members of any such joint committee shall have power to call meetings thereof.

SECT. 4. All by-laws passed by the city council shall be termed ordinances; and the enacting style shall be, "Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Fitchburg."

SECT. 5. In all votes in which either or both branches of the City Council express anything by way of command, the form of expression shall be "Ordered," (except only in case of ordinances), and whenever either branch or both branches express opinions, principles, facts or purposes, the form of expression shall be "Resolved."

SECT. 6. When either Board shall not concur with the other in any ordinance, order or resolution, sent from such other, notice of such non-concurrence shall forthwith be given and the paper signed.

SECT. 7. In every case of disagreement on any

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matter requiring the joint action of the two Boards, if either Board shall request a conference, and appoint a committee for that purpose, the other Board shall appoint a committee to confer with them, each committee shall consist of three members on the part of each board representing its vote, and said committee shall meet within ten days, at a time appointed by the chairman of the committee on the part of the Board requesting the conference, and state to each other the reasons of their respective Boards, for or against the proposed action, and report to their respective branches; and any paper adopted in one Board, and no action reported thereon by the other within six weeks, shall be held to be a case of disagreement within the meaning of this section.

SECT. 8. Each Board shall transmit to the other all papers on which any ordinance, joint order or resolution shall be founded, and all papers on their passage between the two Boards, shall be under the signature of their respective clerks or presiding officers.

SECT. 9. Either Board may propose to the other, for its concurrence, a time at which both shall adjourn, which subject shall have precedence over other business; and when the time has been fixed, either Board may adjourn, unless it is otherwise requested, and the reasons therefor are given by the Board making the request.

SECT. 10. When any matter is referred to a committee, the City Clerk shall notify the chairman of the reference, and furnish to the clerk of

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such committee, a copy or the original, of all votes or papers pertaining to the subject matter referred, within forty-eight hours. The reports of all committees, signed by a majority of the members thereof, may be made to either Board.

SECT. 11. No committee shall act by separate consultation, and no reports except minority reports shall be received, unless they shall have been agreed to in committee actually assembled, which fact shall be certified by its clerk, and no report shall be accepted recommending the expenditure of money unless accompanied by a careful estimate of the amount required.

SECT. 12. It shall be the duty of every joint committee, to whom any subject shall be especially referred, unless otherwise ordered, to report thereon within four weeks, or ask for further time.

SECT. 13. No committee shall enter into any contract with any of its members, nor purchase or authorize the purchase of any article of any such member.

SECT. 14. No chairman of any committee shall audit or approve any bill or account against the city for any supplies or services, unless ordered so to do by vote of the committee at a meeting regularly called, which vote shall be certified by its clerk.

SECT. 15. Joint standing committees shall cause records to be kept of their proceedings, in books provided by the city for that purpose, and the auditor shall be clerk of the committee on accounts and finances.

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The City Clerk shall be clerk of the committees on Printing, Military Affairs, and Salaries.

The City Engineer shall be clerk of the committees on Highways, Sidewalks, Bridges, Drains and Sewers, and Buildings.

The Clerk of the Common Council shall be clerk of the committee on Claims, Water, Fire Department, Fuel, Lighting and Watering Streets, City Property, Education, Shade Trees and Public Grounds, and all Joint Special Committees.

SECT. 16. All reports and other papers submitted to the City Council, shall be written in a fair hand, and the clerks of the Boards, respectively, shall make copies of any papers to be reported by committees, at the request of the respective chairmen thereof.

SECT. 17. No business shall be transacted by the City Council in convention, except such as shall have been previously agreed on, unless by unanimous consent.

SECT. 18. Every Joint Resolution shall have as many readings in each Board as the rules of that Board require, after which the question shall be on passing the same, and when the same shall have been passed, it shall be sent to the other Board for concurrence, and, when such resolution shall have so passed in each Board, the same shall be enrolled by the Clerk of the Common Council, and examined by a committee of that Board; and, on being found by said committee to be correctly enrolled, without further reading or question shall be signed by the President of the

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Common Council, and sent to the other Board, where a like examination shall be made by a committee of that Board, and, if found correctly enrolled, the same shall be signed by the Mayor.

SECT. 19. Every Ordinance shall have as many readings in each Board as the rules of that Board require, after which the question shall be on passing the same to be enrolled, and when the same shall have passed to be enrolled, it shall be sent to the other Board for concurrence; and when such ordinance shall have so passed to be enrolled in each Board, the same shall be enrolled by the Clerk of the Common Council, and examined by a Committee of that Board, and, on being found by said committee to be correctly enrolled, the same shall be reported to the Council, when the question shall be on passing the same to be ordained, and when said ordinance shall have so passed to be ordained, it shall be signed by the President of the Common Council, and sent to the other Board, where a like examination shall be made by a committee of that Board, and, if found correctly enrolled, the same shall be reported to the Board, and the question shall be on passing the same to be ordained; and when the same shall have been passed to be ordained, it shall be signed by the Mayor.

SECT. 20. No enrolled ordinance or resolution shall be amended except by unanimous consent.

SECT. 21. The City Clerk shall be clerk of the City Council in convention.

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SECT. 22. When the two branches are in convention, and there occurs any difference of opinion in regard to modes of proceeding not otherwise provided for, the City Council shall be governed by parliamentary practice as set forth in "Cushing's Manual of the Law and Practice of Legislative Assemblies."

SECT. 23. Reports, orders, ordinances, and resolutions requiring concurrent action must be in the hands of the City Clerk on or before eleven o'clock A. M. on Tuesday the day of the meeting or action will be postponed until the next meeting.

SECT. 24. The City Clerk shall prepare a calendar of matters in order for consideration, a list of matters lying on table and such other matter or memoranda as he may deem necessary and as the Mayor or presiding officer of either board shall direct; and shall cause the same to be printed and distributed among the members of the City Council at each regular meeting.

SECT. 25. Every order, resolve, or other paper requiring concurrent action offered in either board by a member thereof, shall be endorsed by him, and if the subject matter is referred to a committee he shall be notified of the time and place when such subject matter is to be considered.

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Rules and Orders of the Board of Aldermen.

SECTION 1. The Board of Aldermen shall during the month of January, elect one of its members as President, who shall, in the absence of the Mayor, preside at all meetings of the board, and perform such other duties as are prescribed in section seven, of chapter twenty-eight of the Public Statutes and Acts in addition thereto.

SECT. 2. The order of business shall be as follows:

1st. The Mayor shall call the Board to order, and if a quorum be present, shall cause the names of the absentees to be recorded.

2d. The journal of the previous meeting shall be read.

3d. Petitions, Remonstrances, Memorials and Reports shall next be called for, and be disposed of by reference or otherwise.

4th. Such nominations, appointments and elections as may be in order, shall be considered and disposed of.

5th. The orders of the day shall be taken up —meaning by the orders of the day, the business remaining unfinished at the previous meeting, and

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such communications as may have been subsequently sent up from the Common Council.

6th. New business may be introduced by any member of the Board.

SECT. 3. Every ordinance shall pass through the following stages before it shall be considered as having received the final action of this Board, viz: first reading, second reading, passage to be enrolled, passage to be ordained; and every joint resolution shall have two several readings, before the question shall be taken on its final passage.

SECT. 4. A resolve, or order for appropriating money, or an ordinance, may be rejected at either stage in its progress, but shall not pass through all its stages in one day if objected to by any member.

SECT. 5. Standing Committees shall be appointed on Police, on Enrollment, on Bills in the Second Reading, and on Elections and Returns.

SECT. 6. No member shall be interrupted while speaking, but by a call to order, or for a correction of a mistake, nor shall there be any conversation among the members while a paper is being read or a question stated from the chair.

SECT. 7. No member shall be permitted to vote on any question, or serve on any committee, where his private interest is immediately concerned, distinct from that of the public; and every member, except as above, who shall be in the Board when a question is put, shall vote, unless the Board for special reasons excuse him. Application to be so excused on any question must be made before the Board is divided, or before the

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calling of the yeas and nays, and such application shall be accompanied by a brief statement of the reasons, and shall be declared without debate.

SECT. 8. A question having been taken, it shall be in order for any member voting with the majority to move a reconsideration thereof, at the same meeting, or at the next meeting provided the subject of the vote shall not have passed out of the custody of the Board; but the subject shall not be reconsidered unless a majority of the whole Board shall vote therefor. No more than one motion for the reconsideration of any vote shall be entertained.

SECT. 9. On all questions and motions the chair shall take the sense of the Board by yeas and nays, whenever any two members present shall so require.

SECT. 10. The foregoing rules, and order of business, shall be observed in all cases, unless suspended, by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, for a specific purpose.

SECT. 11. All committees shall be appointed and announced by the Mayor, unless the Board shall determine otherwise.

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Rules and Orders of the Common Council.

RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF THE PRESIDENT.

SECTION 1. The President shall take the chair at the hour appointed for the meeting, call the members to order, and, if a quorum be present, cause the names of the absentees to be recorded. He shall then call for the reading of the minutes of the preceding meeting, and proceed to business.

SECT. 2. He shall preserve order and decorum, may speak to points of order in preference to other members, and shall decide all such questions, subject to an appeal to the Council by motion regularly seconded; and no other business shall be in order till the question on the appeal shall have been decided. He shall also nominate all committees not elected by ballot.

SECT. 3. He shall rise to address the Council, to state facts, or to put a question, but may read sitting.

SECT. 4. When a question is under debate, the President shall receive no motion but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone to a certain day, to commit, to amend, or to postpone indefinitely; which several

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motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are arranged.

He shall declare all votes, but if a vote be doubted he shall order a return of the number voting in the affirmative and in the negative without any further debate.

SECT. 5. He may call any member to the chair for a period of time not extending beyond an adjournment; and when out of the chair, the President may participate in any debate; but shall not resume the chair while the same question is pending; and on going into a committee of the whole, he shall appoint the chairman.

SECT. 6. Questions shall be propounded in the order in which they are moved, unless the subsequent motion be previous in its nature; except that in naming sums and fixing times, the largest sum and the longest time shall be first put.

SECT. 7. After a motion is stated by the President, it shall be disposed of by a vote of the Council, unless withdrawn by the mover before an amendment or decision.

SECT. 8. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order; that, and the motion to lay on the table, shall be decided without debate.

SECT. 9. The previous question shall be in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" It only shall be admitted when demanded by a majority of the members present; and, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and debate of the main question, and after the adoption of the previous question, the sense of the Council shall

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forthwith be taken upon the amendments reported by a committee, upon all pending amendments, and then upon the main question.

SECT. 10. On all questions and motions whatsoever, the President shall take the sense of the Council by yeas and nays, provided one-fifth of the members present shall so require.

SECT. 11. When two or more members rise at the same time, the President shall name the member who is to speak first.

RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF MEMBERS.

SECT. 12. In the absence of the President, the oldest member present shall call the Council to order, and preside until a president *pro tempore* shall be chosen by ballot; and if an election is not effected on the first trial, on a second ballot a plurality of votes shall elect. When any member is about to speak in the Council, he shall rise in his place and respectfully address the presiding officer, confining himself to the question under debate, and avoiding personality.

SECT. 13. No member shall be mentioned in the debate by his name, but may be described by the place he occupies, or such other designation as may be intelligible and respectful.

SECT. 14. No member speaking shall be interrupted by another, but by a call to order or to correct a mistake.

SECT. 15. No person shall speak more than once on a question, to the prevention of any other

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who has not spoken and is desirous to speak; nor more than twice without the consent of the board; and all questions relating to priority of business, shall be taken without debate.

SECT. 16. When the President or any other member is speaking, no one shall stand up or pass unnecessarily before the person speaking.

SECT. 17. Every motion shall be reduced to writing if the President or any member require it.

SECT. 18. A motion to reconsider a vote, shall only be in order at the same, or at the meeting next succeeding that at which the vote was passed.

When a motion to reconsider a vote is made at the same meeting at which it was passed, its consideration shall be postponed until the next meeting, provided, one-fourth of the members voting shall so require, and *provided further*, that no action of the Council upon a motion to reconsider a vote, upon an incidental or subsidiary question shall remove the main subject under consideration from before it.

When a motion for reconsideration is decided, that decision shall not be reconsidered.

The motion to "postpone until the next meeting" the consideration of a motion to reconsider a vote shall not be debatable; and shall not be in order, on and after the last Monday in December.

SECT. 19. Every member who shall be in the Council when a question is put, shall give his vote unless the Council for special reason excuse him, or unless his private interest is involved therein.

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SECT. 20. No motion or proposition on a subject different from that under consideration, shall be admitted under color of an amendment.

SECT. 21. All reports may be committed or recommitted at the pleasure of the Council. And when a motion is made to refer a subject, and different committees are proposed, the question shall be taken in the order following:

A Standing Committee of the Council.
A Select Committee of the Council.
A Joint Standing Committee.
A Joint Select Committee.

SECT. 22. All questions shall be divided when the sense will admit of it, if called for by any member of the Council.

SECT. 23. No rule or standing order of the Council shall be suspended, unless three-fourths of the members present consent thereto; nor shall any rule or order be repealed or amended, without one day's notice being given of the motion therefor, nor unless a majority of the whole Council concur therein.

SECT. 24. No member shall be obliged to serve on more than two committees at the same time, nor be chairman of more than one, nor on any committee having in charge matter touching his individual interest.

SECT. 25. At each regular meeting of the Council, the order of business shall be as follows:

1st. Reading the records.

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2d. Presentation of Petitions, Remonstrances and Memorials.

3d. Papers from the board of Mayor and Aldermen.

4th. Unfinished business of preceding meetings.

5th. Communications and Reports from city officers.

6th. Report of Committees.

7th. Motions, Orders, or Resolutions. Which orders shall be adhered to as a rule of the Council.

SECT. 26. All differences of opinion in regard to points of order or modes of proceeding not otherwise provided for, shall be governed by parliamentary practice, as set forth in Cushing's "Law and Practice of Legislative Assemblies."

OF COMMUNICATIONS, COMMITTEES, REPORTS, RESOLUTIONS, ETC.

SECT. 27. All papers addressed to the Council shall be presented by the President or by a member in his place, and shall be read by the President, Clerk, or such other person as the President may request, and shall be taken up in the order in which they were presented, unless when the Council shall otherwise direct.

SECT. 28. Standing Committees shall be appointed on Bills in Second Reading, on Enrollment, and on Election and Returns.

SECT. 29. No committee shall sit during the sitting of the Council without special leave, except

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the Committee on the Second Reading of Bills and Ordinances, and the Committee on Enrollment.

SECT. 30. The rules of proceeding in the Council shall be observed in the committee of the whole, so far as they may be applicable, except the rule limiting the times of speaking.

SECT. 31. When a committee is nominated by the chair, the first person named shall be the chairman. In elections of committees by ballot when the chairman is not specially chosen, the person having the highest number of votes shall act as chairman, and in case of an equality of votes between two or more members of a committee, the members thereof shall choose a chairman.

SECT. 32. All Ordinances, Orders and Resolutions shall have two several readings before they shall be finally passed by the Council.

SECT. 33. All Ordinances before being read a second time, shall be referred to the committee on the Second Reading of Bills and Ordinances; and after being reported upon by said committee shall be again read, after which second reading, the question shall be on passing the same to be enrolled.

SECT. 34. If any member object to the second reading on the same day of any Ordinance, Order or Resolution or Report, imposing penalties or authorizing the expenditure of money, the same shall lay over to the next meeting of the board, except orders authorizing the printing of the City Documents.

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SECT. 35. All committees of the Council shall consist of three members, unless a different number be specially ordered. And no report shall be received from any committee, unless actually assembled; and all reports shall be in writing.

SECT. 36. It shall be the duty of every committee of the Council to whom any subject may be specially referred, to report thereon within four weeks, or ask further time.

ELECTION.

SECT. 37. All salary officers shall be chosen by written or printed ballot; blanks shall be reported, but not counted as votes. In all elections by ballot on the part of the Council, a time shall be assigned to such election at least one day previous thereto.

DUTIES OF CLERK, ETC.

SECT. 38. The Clerk shall keep brief minutes of the votes and proceedings of the Council, entering thereon all accepted resolutions; shall notice reports and memorials, and other papers submitted to the board, only by their titles or a brief description of their purport. When the yeas and nays are taken, the Clerk shall call the names of all the members except the President, in alphabetical order.

SECT. 39. The Clerk of the Common Council shall keep the record of committees who may require that service; and on the appointment of

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every standing committee, a book for record shall be provided by its chairman or by said Clerk; and the Clerk shall have the custody of all the minutes by him kept, and the records of the several committees shall be open to the inspection of the members of the City Council.

SECT. 40. The Clerk shall notify in writing, the chairman of all committees of the Council, of the appointment of such committees.

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